Dowager-Empress of China Reported to Have Killed Self

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BIRDMEN THRILL THOUSANDS

HEAVY FOG CAUSE OF WRECK

Fast Limited Dashes Into a Work Train With Fatal Result

Engineer Failed to See Flagman and Ran by the Danger Signal

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Feb. 17.—Five men were killed and eleven were injured when Pennsylvania limited train No. 5, west bound, dashed into a work train at Larwill, Ind., today. No one on the limited was injured save a baggageman. The wreck was due to the fog which was so dense that a flagman sent back from the wreck train was not seen by the engineer of the limited.

The work train had been stopped by a trackman who reported a broken rail ahead, and while the investigation was in process the limited dashed into the caboose of the train ahead. The wreckage caught fire and two of the dead were burned. Two or three of the injured may die.

AGAIN ESCAPES INJURY.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Among the passengers on the Pennsylvania limited was Clyde H. Tavenner of the sergeant-at-arms office of the House. He was taking the body of his mother, who was killed in the wreck of the Pennsylvania limited at Huntingdon, Pa., Thursday to Cordova, Ill., for burial.

Tavenner, who was in the Huntingdon wreck telegraphed here that again he had escaped uninjured.

Offers $5 Reward For $5000 Heir

CHICAGO, Feb. 17. — Mrs. Marguerite Warren Springer, widow of the late Warren Springer, who left an estate of more than $2,000,000, has offered a reward of $5 for information as to the whereabouts of William, the estranged son of Springer.

By the terms of the will the son was left $5000. He had not been seen for years by his father. He was last heard from while conducting a fruit farm in Georgia.

PARK GRAB STIRS UP PROTEST

Scheme to Put Schools on Lake Merritt Site Rouses Indignation

Prominent Citizens Object to Marring Beauty of Oakland's Public Garden

The proposition to divert a portion of Lakeside Park from its park uses and make it a site for Oakland high school buildings, as suggested by the *Board of Education at its last meeting*, has met with most violent opposition from the citizens of Oakland in all walks of life. The indignation which THE TRIBUNE publicly voiced in its editorial columns last night has been echoed from every portion of the city and dooms to failure what THE TRIBUNE and prominent citizens declare is an absurd proposition.

Among the unequivocal statements of opposition heard throughout the city today, Edwin Meese, city treasurer, had the following to say:

"Money voted for bonds for public parks should not be diverted for other purposes; the lands acquired should not be disposed of. The public is beginning to appreciate our park system and especially Lakeside park, with its concerts, and to use even a part of our largest public show place for other purposes would be a crime."

WOULD MAR BEAUTY.

George E. Gross, city auditor and assessor, declared himself as follows:

"Without consideration of the legal phase of the question, I am unalterably opposed to the use of any portion of Lakeside park as a site for the erection of high school buildings. That park is the gem of our municipal park system and was acquired under a bond issue voted by the people for the acquisition of parks, not school sites. I, for one, don't want to see its beauty marred by a repetition of our present unsightly and neglected high school premises."

Other prominent men who have expressed themselves as unalterably opposed to the proposition are Henry F.

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General's Retirement Halts Courtmartial

Friends of Ainsworth Not Likely to Revive Trouble in Congress.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The Ainsworth incident, which for a time promised a sensational court-martial, was generally regarded as closed today. With General Ainsworth on the retired list at his own request and the proposed disciplinary proceedings against him abandoned by the War Department, there was little thought that the former adjutant-general's friends in Congress would make a further issue of the matter. Ainsworth asked retirement under the thirty-year service law, having been on the active list thirty-seven years. He will have $6000 a year.

DOWAGER OF CHINA ENDS LIFE

Empress Takes Poison, According to Rumor, While Seated on Throne

Forbidden City Is in Uproar With Servants Being Put to Torture

PEKING, Feb. 17.—The Empress Dowager, arrayed in the bejeweled robes of royalty and seated on her throne, took a fatal draught of poison this morning, according to a rumor which is spread with startling suddenness throughout the city.

No official confirmation of the empress' death has been made, but the forbidden city is known to be in an uproar and fleeing eunuchs bring word that not only is the empress dead, but that servants are being put to the torture to ascertain if her death was due to a palace intrigue or to suicide, as is generally believed here.

The empress, it has long been understood, has been in great terror of suffering some terrible death which court astrologers predicted would befall her. Veiled threats were made against her recently at the last meeting of the imperial council.

It is generally believed here that if the empress dowager is dead, the baby emperor will be murdered.

Only Ascot Cup in America Missing

Trophy Won by J. R. Keene's Foxhall Not Found in Ruins of Equitable.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17. — One of the treasures which the searchers in the ruins of the burned Equitable building have not yet brought to light is the famous Ascot gold cup won by James R. Keene's racer, Foxhall, in 1882. It has an intrinsic value of $2500 but its sentimental worth is incalculable. It is the only Ascot gold cup ever won by an American turfman. It was kept in a case in Keene's office in the Equitable building and some concern is expressed by its owner because of the failure of the searchers to locate it.

Foreign Minister Of Austria Dying

Distinguished Statesman Has Received Last Sacraments; Successor Is Appointed.

VIENNA, Feb. 17.—Count Alois Lexavon Aehrenthal, Austro-Hungarian minister for foreign affairs, is dying. He received the last sacraments today. Count Leopold Von Berchthold, former ambassador at St. Petersburg, has been appointed foreign minister.

GLENN MARTIN HURLED FROM HIS AIRSHIP BY SUDDEN HARD LANDING

FARNUM FISH (right) and COMMODORE WARREN WOOD of Los Angeles, about to start on a duck shooting expedition in Fish's flying machine.

POSSES SEARCH IN VAIN FOR BANDITS

Men Who Attempted to Rob Train Have Good Start of Sheriff

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Feb. 17.—Posses scouring the country found no trace this morning of the bandits who attempted to hold up the Vandalia's New York-St. Louis mail train No. 11 last night near Liggett, Ind., six miles west of here.

Because of more than an hour's delay in making up a special train to carry Sheriff Walsh and his deputies to the scene of the attempted robbery and the cutting of telegraph wires, the bandits obtained a good start.

Besides the bandit on the train, who shot at the engine crew, it is the opinion of trainmen that other members of the gang were hidden in a deep cut through which the train had just passed and the robbers' attempt to stop the train in the cut had failed because of his not understanding how to give the signal with the bell cord.

Railroad officials say no effort was made to break into the cars. It is their belief that when the bandits failed to stop the train in the cut they abandoned their attempt and fled.

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Firing of aerial bombs.

2 P. M.—FIRST EVENT.

Fifteen-mile relay race—Teams representing San Francisco and Oakland. Each aviator to fly five miles.

Oakland Team.

Phil O. Parmalee.....Wright
Glenn Martin.....Martin-Curtiss
Weldon B. Cooke...Cooke-Curtiss

San Francisco Team.

Hillery Beachey.....
.....Beachey-Heinemann
William H. Hoff.....Curtiss
Lincoln Beachey.....Curtiss

2:20 P. M.—SECOND EVENT.

Passenger-carrying flight—Farnum T. Fish, youngest licensed aviator in the world (17 years old) will carry high school girl for passenger-carrying flight.

2:25 P. M.—THIRD EVENT.

Demonstration of wireless telegraphy from aeroplane by Horace Kearney. Kearney will take aloft a sealed message and will open it after he leaves the ground, sending it to station in officials' stand while in the air.

2:30 P. M.—FOURTH EVENT.

Figure 8 contest—Two aviators flying at one time, using one-quarter and three-quarter-mile post as turning points. Fastest time to determine winner.

Weldon B. Cooke.
Hillery Beachey.
Glenn Martin.
William H. Hoff.
Lincoln Beachey.
Phil O. Parmalee.

3 P. M.—FIFTH EVENT.

Carrying United States mail from substation on grounds, by Farnum Fish in Wright biplane. Post cards or letters may be mailed on the ground and will be canceled by a special aviation postmark stamp and sent to any part of world to which addressed.

3:10 P. M.—SIXTH EVENT.

International race — Five-mile open international race. Three entrants in each trial heats. Winners of each heat qualify for the final heat, which will determine the international race champion.

Lincoln Beachey, United States.
Weldon B. Cooke, California flag.
Horace Kearney, Ireland.
Glenn Martin, England.
Hillery Beachey, France.
Farnum T. Fish, Spain.
William H. Hoff, Germany.
Tom Gunn, China.
Phil O. Parmalee, "Stars and Bars."

3:30 P. M.—SEVENTH EVENT.

Exhibition flight—Exhibition by Miss Blanche Stuart Scott, premier aviatrix of the world. Miss Scott flies the Martin-Curtiss biplane.

3:40 P. M.—EIGHTH EVENT.

Exhibition flight by skillful aviator—Exhibition by Lincoln Beachey, most skillful aviator in the world.

4 P. M.—NINTH EVENT.

Open altitude—Each aviator to ascend until 4:30, when an areial bomb will be fired announcing the close of the ascent. Lincoln Beachey will glide the entire distance back to the field with his motor cut off.

BIG CROWD WATCHES EVENTS

Overcast Sky Does Not Prevent Aviators From Soaring Aloft

Old Emeryville Track Transformed for Oakland Aerial Meet

The crack of a bomb fired high in the air stilled to expectancy the chatter and hum of the vast throng of spectators gathered this afternoon at the Emeryville Aviation Field for the first day's events of the third international aviation meet. The aerial bomb heralded a series of *aeronautical pyrotechnics* such as have rarely been seen at any meet of the birdmen, either in the West or East.

Although the sky was overclouded with a blanket of mist, the weather conditions so far as the wind was concerned were fairly good, and permitted the carrying out of the program of sensational and spectacular events without a hitch. Races, demonstration of the use of wireless telegraphy, hair-raising volplane stunts in swift turning, gliding and altitude trials, the use of the sub-station of the United States postoffice for the first aerial mail ever carried in northern California, formed the interesting features of the afternoon's entertainment and aroused storms of applause from the packed masses of spectators on the grand stand, bleachers and open field.

INTEREST KEPT UP.

The afternoon was marked by varying feats unusual in the history of aviation, which gave the gathering a taste of the wonderful possibilities of development into *different fields opened up by the* new sport. The crowds watched expectantly from one event to the next and not for a moment was the tense interest permitted to lag or fail.

For two hours before the first relay race of the opening event, the crowd had commenced to gather at the grounds to pick out the places of vantage for the best view of the three-ring aerial circus. They came merrily and in picnic mood to the big field, and good-naturedly jostled each other in getting to seats and benches.

Not only from Oakland, San Francisco, Berkeley and other cities of the bay region, but from the interior of the state came the large crowds anxious to see the daring birdmen in their spectacular air feats. Special rates from the cities of northern and central California brought many visitors from the interior to Oakland and crowded the big grand stand to its best capacity.

The committee in charge of the meet has made plans for adequate policing of the grounds, both by uniform patrolmen from Oakland and by an active staff of plain clothes men, who will ferret through the crowds to protect the visitors from pickpockets and other thieves.

TRACK TRANSFORMED.

Those who had been familiar with the old Emeryville race track were surprised at the transformation that had been effected by the committee in charge in making of the big field into the scene of an aviation meet. Fences and ob-

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BEAUTY IS NOT FOUND AT END OF RAINBOW

Beauty is not found at the end of a rainbow. It dwells on the thoroughfare of good judgment and it is along that road that THE TRIBUNE Beauty Committee will travel in its search. The search will be a long one and a thorough one; it will be watched by the thousands of readers and friends of THE TRIBUNE. Word of the thing has been spread far and wide.

This newspaper wants to find the ten most beautiful women in Oakland Society. To do that it will appoint a committee from among members of the smart set, who will judge the candidates and make the selection.

When the leaders of society's fairest of the fair are made known to this paper THE TRIBUNE will publish their names and photographs and spread the glad tidings. There needs be care taken in the selection of both the fair ones and the committee. The latter is THE TRIBUNE'S work, and that is now under way.

The rest will be in the hands of those who know the component parts of genuine beauty and how they are best merged.

It will be interesting, that selection of fair ones, for it means a standard of beauty that will tower high.

Conductor Becomes Insane While on Richmond Car

RICHMOND, Feb. 17.—Harry Parrine, a conductor on one of the East Shore cars, running between Oakland and Richmond, became violently insane last evening while on a trip in, and later when taken to the local police station endeavored to commit suicide by strangling himself. Parrine had been acting queerly all day and when in the vicinity of Twenty-third street asked several passengers for a pistol, stating he was going to kill himself. His motorman and several passengers took him from the car to his home nearby, but after arriving there he became so violent the police were notified, who took him to the city prison, where he remained docile for a while, and then endeavored to strangle himself. He was prevented by hasty action on the part of the police and was taken to the county hospital for treatment this afternoon.

Girl Remains Under Ether Influence for Six Months

MARQUETTE, Mich., Feb. 17.—After being under the influence of ether for six months, since she submitted to an operation on her foot in Chicago, Dorothy Grabower, 16 years of age, daughter of Louis Grabower, a merchant of his city, is just coming from under the anesthetic and within two or three days it is expected will have fully recovered.

Watch Runs for 106 Years Without Repairs

WHITESBORO, Ky., Feb. 17.—After ticking faithfully for 106 years, during which period it has accurately kept the time for succeeding generations in one family, a watch belonging to John H. Wright has just been repaired here for the first time in its existence and has started on another century.

Roosevelt Drawn to Serve as Trial Juror

MINEOLA, N. Y., Feb. 17.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt of Oyster Bay was drawn today among other residents of Nassau county, to serve as trial juror at the term of court beginning March 4. Most of the others are farmers and businessmen.

Noted British Aviator Falls 380 Feet to Death

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Graham Gilman, one of the best known among British aviators, was instantly killed today by a fall with his aeroplane from a height of 380 feet. He was testing a new monoplane in which he was making a flight from the aerodrome at Brooklands and was traveling at the rate of sixty miles an hour when his machine suddenly buckled and dropped.

Germany Launches New $11,888,750 Dreadnought

KIEL, Germany, Feb. 17.—The new German battleship Prinze Regent Luitpold, the twelfth dreadnought of the imperial navy, was launched here today. The total cost of construction of the Prinze Regent Luitpold was $11,888,750, which is practically the same as was expended on her predecessors of the Oldtiest class, although she is much bigger.

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OAKLAND TRIBUNE EDITORIAL PAGE

M. C. CHAPMAN
President

Cook and the Tax Association.

On the first page of yesterday's issue of THE TRIBUNE was printed a communication from Mr. Mark L. Requa, president of the Alameda County Tax Association, relative to the attitude of his organization toward the proposition to take the registration of voters out of the hands of the County Clerk. Especial prominence was given to what Mr. Requa had to say, because his communication outlines an attitude, in general, for the Tax Association that the public ought to approve.

All such investigations as that now being conducted by the Tax Association should be conducted in a spirit of fairness and with an open mind. His statement, therefore, that the Tax Association is in no wise committed to the County Clerk's side of the case is a gratifying assurance. Mr. Requa declares there is no truth in the rumor that his organization would back Cook's contention. Mr. Requa's personal character is a guarantee of his truthfulness in this matter, and the fact that the rumor emanated in Cook's camp gives it an air of incredibility. Nevertheless the members of the Tax Association will do well to be on their guard against plausible misrepresentations. That efforts will be made to dupe and use them is quite certain. Mr. Requa says no such attempts have been made to his knowledge, and we believe him to be entirely sincere; but there are ways of underground leg-pulling and subterranean manipulation with which he is not wholly familiar.

We are glad to learn that the County Clerk has not "buffaloed" the Tax Association, has not stampeded it and got it on the run, or pulled the wool over the eyes of its officers and investigators. That is an assurance that will be grateful to the public. However, there is matter of interest in the following statement made by Mr. Requa:

"The charge has been made, and apparently well substantiated, that registration has been made an excuse for partisan agitation and solicitation on behalf of certain officials. If true, the practice is vicious and should be stopped. I am not aware, however, that there is anything in the new law which would prevent the Registrar from adopting similar tactics. Legislation on this subject would be necessary and wise to the end that an official clothed with the responsibility of registering the voters should be absolutely estopped from any partisan activities."

Let us say that we agree without reservation with what Mr. Requa here says. The registration office should not be made a bureau for partisan and personal politics—and that is what it is today. While registering voters Cook and his deputies are conducting a political campaign. One of the objects of this campaign is to perpetuate the abuse now being practiced in the County Clerk's office. Another is to defeat members of the Board of Supervisors who have refused to submit to Cook's dictation. We agree fully with Mr. Requa, however, that the act creating the office of Registrar of voters should be amended to prohibit the Registrar and the employes of his office from taking any part in partisan politics, especially the importuning of voters who come to register to sign petitions for a referendum or to vote for any candidate or party.

But it must be remembered that under the new law the Registrar will be a non-elective officer and will be subject to the authority of the Board of Supervisors. The County Clerk has a large force of deputies and he is the head of a political machine. All his deputies have authority to register voters, and he can authorize as many men as he pleases to do registration work.

Thus registration is not only accompanied by partisan activity, but is made the vehicle of political schemes. That is what THE TRIBUNE wants stopped, and the president of the Alameda County Tax Association agrees with us that it ought to be stopped.

In conclusion let us say that we are in cordial sympathy with the objects the Association has in view and will co-operate in the effort to have the public business transacted with due efficiency and economy, reserving the right, however, to point out mistakes and to criticize methods which may in our opinion fail to reach the desired result. All we desire is a square deal, and that we believe is what the Tax Association is striving for.

The San Diego Union vigorously protests against the scheme to invoke the recall against Captain John L. Sehon, head of the San Diego police department. Captain Sehon is not a favorite of the Union, but in this instance the Union says he is right and his conduct should be endorsed. It says the recall is to be invoked against him because he has enforced the law, as it was his duty to do, and that an effort is being made to punish him for doing what his oath of office required him to do. We gather from the Union that Captain Sehon has refused to accede to a demand that he decline to enforce certain ordinances enacted by the City Council. If the ordinances are unjust and oppressive they should be repealed. It is not for the chief of police to say they shall not be enforced. Law enforcement should not go by favor or be a matter of discretion for the officers charged with their administration. Bad laws should be repealed, not permitted to become a dead letter by non-enforcement.

Obstruction Versus Conservatism.

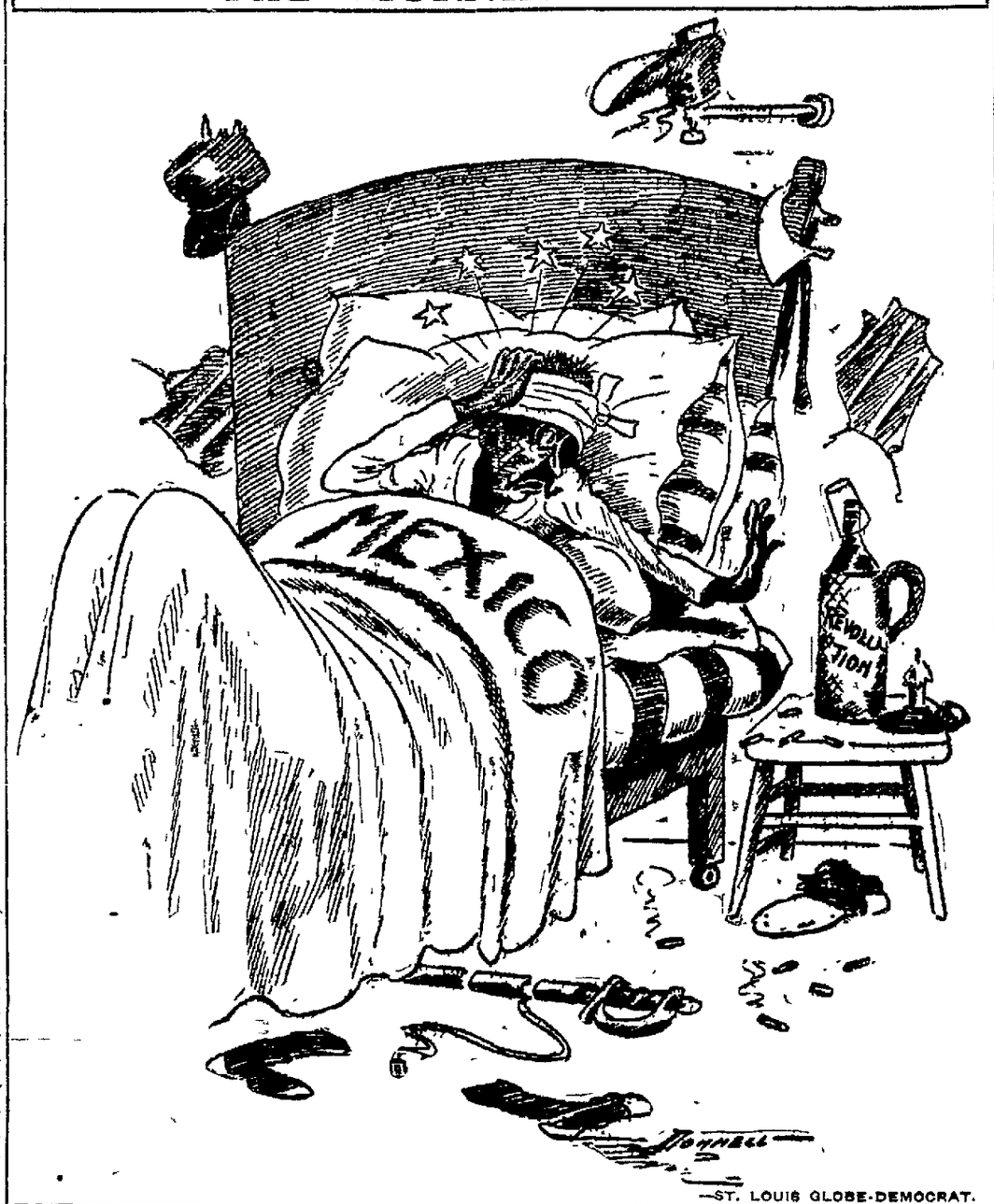
Gifford Pinchot seems to have finally disgusted the Chico Enterprise, which criticizes him in this sharp fashion:

"Pinchot's charge that (Congressman) Raker is acting in concert with the water power magnates of this State is probably based on no better foundation than the fact that a few men having their capital invested in water development have favored the Congressman's bill. It is an unfortunate habit that Pinchot has fallen into of regarding with suspicion all who do not agree with his conservation views. His assumptions of simon pure and of a holier than thou attitude have become almost nauseating."

Mr. Raker does not deserve much sympathy, nevertheless the imputation Pinchot has cast upon him is utterly without justification. His offense is that he introduced a bill in Congress giving a power company a permit to run a pipe-line through 800 feet of arid, rocky, treeless territory in the Mono Lake forest reserve. The water power which the pipe-line is to utilize is private property, and the land it is proposed that the pipe-line shall traverse is valueless. It should never have been included in a forest reserve. The pipe-line cannot injure any public or private interest, and Pinchot's objection to it is simply senseless obstruction, and is urged with an obstinate disregard to every principle of fair play. There is no valid reason why the permit should not be granted, save it will aid the development of the mineral region lying around Mono Lake.

But Pinchot's idea of conservation is to prevent the use of natural resources, and in this instance he wants the pipe-line permit denied because a denial will obstruct the utilization of a water right belonging to private parties.

THE MORNING AFTER



—ST. LOUIS GLOBE-DEMOCRAT.

The San Francisco Waterfront.

THE TRIBUNE is in hearty accord with the suggestion that the water front of San Francisco be ceded to the city. Every city should control and administer its own port facilities, provide the necessary accommodations for shipping and regulate charges in accordance with the business interests of the city. San Francisco should be given the opportunity to develop her water front in her own way. There is no reason why the State should take charge of her chief commercial asset, and administer it by agents who have a deeper interest in partisan politics than they have in the commercial welfare and growth of the city.

At present the San Francisco water front is the sport of State politics. It is a patronage bonanza that is worked for the benefit of professional politicians. It provides places for political workers and for legislators who have to be taken care of lest they go wrong and fail to vote right. No debt for the improvement of port facilities can be incurred without the consent of all the voters in the State and without obtaining the consent of the Legislature.

This is the result of State control and administration. It is a condition that is anomalous and is productive of unhealthy politics. Oakland, Los Angeles and San Diego have been given control of their water fronts, and San Francisco should be given the same right. Once there was a substantial reason for the State's control of the port facilities of San Francisco, but that reason no longer exists. Conditions have so changed in recent years that State control is no longer necessary for the protection of the public. Port facilities are being developed by local enterprise and under local auspices elsewhere, and this development places San Francisco at a disadvantage, or threatens to do so.

We believe San Francisco should have the same control over her water front that Oakland has over hers. We believe it would be better for the commercial interests of the whole State for San Francisco to have the independent direction of her commercial facilities. The State should turn the water front over to the city and close up the political bureau that the water front has so long maintained.

In a recent speech Colonel Roosevelt compared himself to Abraham Lincoln. But he neglected to mention the fact that Lincoln declared against a third term; also the fact that Mr. Lincoln had no Ananias club among his political stage properties. There are other points of difference, but it is hardly necessary to mention them.

REINDEER MEAT SOON

In the opinion of William T. Lopp, an official of the Interior Department who has charge of the Federal government's reindeer service, it won't be so very long before we will be stepping into the butcher shop and ordering a reindeer steak instead of beef. Mr. Lopp has just returned from a 14,000-mile tour of Alaska on behalf of the United States Bureau of Education, which, curiously enough, has direct charge of the conservation and propagation of reindeers in Alaska

Mr Lopp said that the first commercial shipment of reindeer meat into the United States was received at Seattle, Wash., only a short time ago He estimates that within less than twenty-five years, provided the reindeer of Alaska increase at their present rate, there will be 2,000,000 prime animals in the Territory on which the people of the United states can depend for much of their meat supply

The first shipment of reindeer meat to Seattle consisted of 125 carcasses of an average weight of 150 pounds Reindeer meat is now being served in the leading hotels and restaurants of that city. In flavor it is said to be a cross between mutton and beef, but a little more palatable than either.

Reindeer can be raised for the market much more cheaply than cattle They will thrive on wastes that would starve a goat. There are 400,000 square miles of frozen tundra in Alaska, which at present are of no use, but which as reindeer ranches would provide abundant pasturage for 10,000,000 of the animals.

Reindeer raising was undertaken in Alaska about twenty-five years ago by the United States government, originally as a benevolent and educational enterprise It was desired to advance the civilization of the natives from the hunting to the pastoral stage and also to provide a food supply for them to take the place of the whale, the seal and the wild caribou. That is how the Bureau of Education came to have charge of reindeer raising. The bureau imported 1280 reindeer from Siberia. This number has now been increased to about 32,000, of which 10,000 are owned by native Alaskans.—New York Sun

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Some people lose to tell the truth—when they think it will hurt

No, Alonzo, a girl isn't necessarily an angel because she is a high flyer.

ROOSEVELT'S FRIENDS

In looking over the list of Mr. Taft's most conspicuous opponents and Mr. Roosevelt's most conspicuous supporters, we find that they consist:

1. Of hero worshipers who were coddled and flattered by Roosevelt, but neglected by Taft.

2 Of corporation directors and promoters who are incensed at Taft's enforcement of the Sherman law

3. Of the unstable, erratic elements of the Republican party which have never fully recovered from the attack of Populists.

4. Of Republicans who held office under Roosevelt, but do not hold office under Taft.

5. Of Republican politicians who think Roosevelt would help them carry their county and state tickets.

This is an interesting exhibit, but we are unable to see what relation it bears to progressive government or to progressive principles.

Perhaps some eminent Progressive will be kind enough to explain why Roosevelt is a Progressive and Taft is not Perhaps Mr. Roosevelt himself will explain it. If he expects to be a candidate for President he will have to explain it.—New York World.

SAFE

"Did you hear Congressman Wombat's speech?"

"I did that"

"What did he say about those charges of grafting which have been brought against him?"

"He didn't touch on that subject. But he said the constitution must and shall be preserved."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

WITTY BITS

The English baroness who came over here under the impression that American women couldn't fence must now realize that hatpin practice will tell.

It is understood that the question of excess mileage, clerk hire, and stationery bills will not be touched upon by the money trust investigating committee.

A museum scientist boasts that he is able to converse with a bird, which will encourage the fellow who is trying to muster up courage to speak to a peach.

Secretary Stimson recommends that 16 army posts be abandoned immediately; but how does he propose to chloroform senators and representatives?

Maryland now bulges out with Crothers as a favorite son, but we are inclined to think that the lame-duck brigade won't be very strong around the armory next June.

The 3000 Tammany braves who will attend the Baltimore convention plan to live on steamers anchored in the bay; but won't this leave them a long way from the saloons?

The Purity Rescue Leaguers gathered in New York to witness an exhibition of those naughty turkey trot and bunny hug dances, and left shocked and aghast (after the show was over)

Judging by the way those Baltimore hotels are planning to "double up" the convention guests, we fear that politics is going to make some strange bedfellows next summer.

A cigarette caused a real tragedy in a Long Island moving-picture war. Here's a thing General Sherman didn't have to contend with or he might have put an adjective in his famous definition.—Washington Post

LA AMITA WORLD'S FINEST

HIGH LIVING FREE

A young man named Siegel has solved the problem of the day. He came to St Louis, represented himself as the son of a rich Western merchant and ordered big bills of goods from jobbing and wholesale houses. Forthwith the wheels of commerce seemed to turn only for Siegel, and they turned to the rhythmic clock of the taximeter, the click of the tall, thin glass and the slink of the soft-shoe waiter with a scuttle of champagne in one hand and a skillet of pate de foie gras in the other.

Entertainers for Washington avenue firms impatiently waited in line to buy something for Siegel. It was soft for him until some bright young man who does most of his work and all of his dining on a high stool conceived the brilliant idea that it might be well to look into Siegel's credentials. Then the Siegel bubble burst, just as a new cocktail was about to be named for him

Maybe the only moral in this is that it would be well for wholesale merchants to inspect the credentials of customers before entertaining them. But to the ultimate consumer there seems to be a deeper moral Would it not be possible to sell goods on their merits, without handing out business bribes in the guise of entertainment? Where does the cost of this entertainment fall? If it is added to the wholesale price of the goods the retailer must get even by increasing the retail price

How will the wholesalers make up for what they mistakenly spent on Siegel?—St Louis Post-Dispatch

BENNETT'S QUESTION

"What," asks Arnold Bennett, the English novelist, who recently visited a limited section of the United States, "would Balzac have done with Pittsburg the sixteen-hour express between New York and Chicago, Wall street, Mr Pierpont Morgan and the wheat-growing states?"

Mr Bennett, as one of the most artistic novelists of the period, ought to know that the question is not at all pertinent. It is not what the novelist has to deal with; it is how he deals with that which he chooses It is the manner, rather than the matter.

"The author of "The Old Wives' Tale" succeeded in designing a great drama, with nothing but the humdrum life of two almost commonplace women for all his material.

Is "Cranford" a sorry book because it has nothing to say about sixteen-hour express trains?

Could there be a book made vital with a higher spirit of romance than "The Cloister and the Hearth," which goes back to the edge of the Middle Ages for its period?

Again, is it conceivable that Balzac could have wrought with a firmer hand if he had been brought face to face with a Pierpont Morgan? Incidentally, the great author named has introduced us to a financier in "Pere Goriot" and other novels who was in every way as admirable as Mr Morgan

Mr Bennett must be trying to please the American public. He very surely knows that bigness and loudness have little or nothing of a superior character to bring to the fair domain of real art.—St Louis Times.

20 YEARS AGO IN OAKLAND

The contest of the probate of the will of the late Alfred Frior, who bequeathed his $10,000 estate to the gay Parisian adventurer Alphonse Geslin, will come up for hearing in a few days. Geslin, who is administrator, has left for Texas and it is said does not desire to return and appear in court.

W. E Bond, business manager of THE TRIBUNE, and Miss Ruby Dore, will be married on March 10 The ceremony will be performed in San Francisco

Vice-President A. W. Finson was in the chair at the meeting of the New Nation Club last evening. Mrs Charlotte Perkins Stetson read a fable and J. W Dutton recited a poem, after which Miss A. E. Knapp read an address on the "Sources of Socialism."

Sherman R. Brown, a tramp, walked out of the county jail yesterday a happy man, for he believes that he is heir to an estate valued at $180,000.

The fourth anniversary of Piedmont Parlor No. 120, N S. G. W, was celebrated by a grand ball at Calvary Hall last evening. The following were on the committee of arrangements: J J Naegle, chairman, J. F. Cronin, H. L Tisdale, J. Boquet, F. D. Williams, floor manager, C. F. Murdock; C Overlin, O Gerhardy, A Hughes, T B Bibber, W I Clark, W B Miller, E Planer, W H McDonald, H Hubbard, George De Golia, C Reuter, E A Brackett, Dr. J S Akerly, W. G. Hawkett, E. J Murphy, H F. Seiler, H B Belden, G. C Farmer, F J Eames, J. J. Gallagher and J. F. Rooney.

Mr. and Mrs D J Fleming of 811 Center street, celebrated their eighteenth wedding anniversary at their home last evening when among those present were Mr and Mrs Edstrom, Mr and Mrs. J O'Connor, Misses May Sheehan, Carrie Gallagher, Lizzie Flemming, Edna Bailey, Nellie Howard, Nellie Gallagher, Anna Fleming and Messrs O'Brien, Miller, Burton, Jackson, Roach, Will O'Neil, Will Fleming Jr., J. Fleming and C. Cavanaugh.

The county Board of Education has granted the following teachers' certificates: High school, to A. F. Shulte, Richard White, John W Young; grammar grade, to Elizabeth L. Shearer, Gertrude E Treanor, J M Dotz. The certificates of Mary E Walker and Bertha Week were renewed.

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BURGLARS HOLD UP VICTIMS IN HOME

Laundryman and Wife Come Upon Two Intruders at Work.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 17—A noise in his laundry at 1401 Scott street, at 3 30 this morning, awoke T Ailso and his wife, and, on opening the door, they found themselves looking into the revolvers held by a pair of burglars The intruders had made their way in by breaking the lock on the door and were in the act of rifling the till when their movements awakened the proprietor.

Mrs Ailso was aroused by her husband and both proceeded to investigate At sight of them the robbers came forward, forced them back into their bedroom, searched Ailso's clothing and the other apartments of the house, compelling the couple to stand with their hands in the air throughout the ordeal

The laundryman, however, had placed his money in a safe deposit box last night and $6 taken from the till was the only reward of the men Although they threatened their victims, they did not attempt violence, and as soon as they had left the place the police were notified by telephone.

PATROLMAN WAITS AN HOUR FOR PREY

Stumbles on Loot and Hides Until Accused Burglars Come for It.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17—Patrolman Brady of the Central station, with the patience of a modern Job, lay in wait for thieves he knew would come after loot left in a blind alley, early this morning, and was rewarded by the capture of two culprits, who were charged with burglary at the city prison.

The officer was patroling his beat and was trying doors along Montgomery avenue, when he stepped into the alley which is but a few feet long and which is near the corner of Washington street In a dark corner he came upon a sack containing bottles of liquor and cigars, and stepping into a doorway just beyond, he waited for an hour.

At 4·30 he heard footsteps, and as he saw one man with his hand on the sack he arrested the men An investigation disclosed the fact that the loot had been taken from the Justus bar, 646 Washington street The men gave their names as Louis Silver and John White

TEAM ORGANIZES.

CONCORD, Feb 17—The local baseball team, the Concord Merchants, have reorganized for the coming season, C. DeBendetti, manager The line-up is as follows Randall, catcher, Soares, left field, DeBendetti, first base; C. Crenna, second base, M Prairo, shortstop, P. Crenna, third base, Enos, center field; J Fisher, right field; L Fisher, Stow, pitcher, R Foskett, substitute

TELLS BETROTHAL.

STOCKTON, Feb 17—Miss Vivian Fish, daughter of J. D Fish, local agent for the Southern Pacific Railway Company and a graduate of the University of California, has announced her engagement to F S Kay of San Francisco The wedding, which will be an event of importance among local society folk, will take place either in April or June, the exact date being undetermined at this time

The engagement was announced by Miss Fish at a tea which she gave a number of her friends

MISSION TO BE HELD AT LOCAL CATHOLIC CHURCH

REV. THOMAS BURKE.

At St Francis de Sales church tomorrow the Rev Thomas Burke, C S P, and Rev James Gillis, C S P, will open a two weeks' mission at the 10 30 mass

Rev P J Keane will be the celebrant, the Rev. Charles Boschab deacon and Rev. Thos. Burke will preach the sermon Men and women are invited to hear the opening sermon.

At 7·45 p m the exercises of the mission proper will commence The first week will be devoted to the interests of women and the second week to the men These distinguished Paulists have been conducting missions in different parishes in San Francisco during the last three months and everywhere have met with great success. Their first appearance in Oakland is awaited with keen anticipation by the parishioners of St Francis de Sales.

The music of the mass will be Mozart's "Twelfth Veni Creator," Wiegand

Soprano solo and quartet, offertory, "Jesu Dei Vivi" (Verdi), trio

Soloists—Soprano, Mrs Nellie Chase Williams; alto, Mrs. Le Noir Schmitz, tenor, J P Jones; bass, Wallace Merwin, organist, Miss Elizabeth McNally.

BUSINESS MEN TO GIVE PARTY

Proceeds From Theater Benefit to Be Put in Publicity Fund.

HAYWARD, Feb. 17—The Hayward Chamber of Commerce has arranged for a theater party at the Bio next Tuesday evening. A feature of the evening's program, in addition to the customary offering, will be an act by the three Australian midgets

On the arrangements committee, appointed by President William Angus, are H S McCabe, A Lindenberg and J. E Welsh, secretary of the chamber The funds derived will be used to augment the publicity fund

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NO MEN EXEMPTED BY CIVIL SERVICE BOARD

Private Secretaries Must Take Examinations for Their Positions.

FIREMEN TO TAKE TEST FOR PROMOTION

H. S. Robinson's Recommendations Are Carried Out by Organization.

The civil service board, at its special meeting last night refused to comply with the request of the city council that nine offices of confidential chief clerks and secretaries be exempt from civil service requirements The matter had been placed before the civil service board on the form of a council resolution asking that the change be made

At the regular meeting of the civil service commission last Tuesday the council request was received, and at the same time City Treasurer Edwin Meese appeared before the commission to ask that two of his men be added to the "exempted list" The board took the matter under consideration, and at last night's meeting turned it down

REJECTS CRITICISM.

"There are too many men who would seem to come under such a ruling," commented one of the directors "It is urged that these secretaries are men whose relation to their superiors is especially personal and confidential and that the limit of choice in appointment to such office should not be curtailed by civil service tests It would seem, however, that since the appointment may be made from a list of three men certified as eligible this criticism is hardly justified"

The civil service board passed two resolutions, carrying into effect the following recommendations of President of the Board Harrison S Robinson with regard to the fire department.

"In relation to the status of the foremen and extra men or call men in the fire department and to the rights to be accorded them in connection with the pending examinations for drivers, tillermen, stokers, truckmen, hosemen and engineers, I invite your attention to the following considerations.

"Up to within a very recent time the fire department was composed numerically mostly of foremen engaged in private occupations and receiving $40 a month for their fire duty, and of extra men or call men, also engaged in private occupations and receiving $30 a month for their fire duty The department is now being gradually put on a pay basis under civil service, and various problems thereby arise

TO RETAIN CALL MEN.

"The spirit of the charter is that foremen and extra men or call men, who were in their positions and in good standing on June 30, 1911, shall without examination be retained in their respective positions, subject to these positions being changed or abolished by any reorganization of the department.

"A request has come to us from some men that the aforesaid foremen and extra or call men be advanced without any examination to the full pay service, at $1560 per annum for engineers and from $1224 to $1404 per annum for drivers, tillermen, stokers, truckmen and hosemen. In considering this request we must remember that in passing from the position of extra man to the position of regular fireman a man will receive approximately $1000 per year more from the city, and we must also remember that firemen who have arrived at the age of 55 years after 20 years of service in the department are entitled to retire and receive a pension equal to half of the salary attached to the rank held by him one year prior to the date of his retirement In other words, changing a fireman from the basis of extra man to the full pay basis means a difference of approximately $1000 a year to the city by way of salary and a difference of approximately $510 a year by way of pension.

CALLS IT INJUSTICE.

"Any man expecting such additional compensation, or the future right to such additional support from the city, should show himself at this time physically sound and physically and mentally fit to perform the work which he proposes to undertake I feel that we would be doing a great injustice to the taxpayers of this city to permit firemen to go on the full pay basis under the protection of civil service without examination.

"The second large question confronting us is whether men now serving as foreman or extra or call men and who are over the age of 35 years, shall be permitted to take the examination for the lowest grades of full pay positions Foremen and extra or call men are as much a part of the fire department as are the full pay men. The charter provides that 'every appointee to the department shall be not less than 21 nor more than 35 years of age'

"These men have already been appointed to the department, and therefore the age limit does not prevent their applications for leave to take the examinations from being received. On the other hand, no person is eligible to be appointed to the extra or call list if he is over the age of 35 years

"I recommend that applications for leave to take examinations for drivers, tillermen, stokers, truckmen, hosemen and engineers be received from any and all persons who were regular members of the fire department, in good standing, on June 30, 1911, regardless of their age. I further recommend that no person be permitted to go on the eligible list for any of the positions last above mentioned without passing the examination heretofore prescribed for such position.

"Respectfully submitted,
"HARRISON S ROBINSON,
"President Civil Service Board."

FEDERATION TO HOLD ANNUAL ELECTION

The quarterly rally and annual meeting of the organized adult Bible class federation of Alameda county will be held on Monday evening at the Brooklyn Presbyterian church, this city The address of the evening will be given by the Rev George W. White of the First Methodist church The presiding officer will be the president of the association, Gus Schneider Seth Harvey of Berkeley is the secretary The association is just closing the first year of its history The annual election of officers and a social time will follow the address by Dr. White

Y. M. I. TO HOLD ANNUAL DISTRICT INITIATION

BENJAMIN L. McKINLEY.
—Bushnell Photo.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 17—Benjamin L McKinley, who is first assistant United States attorney at San Francisco and a member of Ignatian Council, Y M I, degree team, will officiate at the annual district initiation under the auspices of Alameda county and Point Richmond district committee of the Young Men's Institute at Pythian Castle, Twelfth and Alice streets, tomorrow at 1.30 p. m.

Candidates from Alameda, Oakland, Livermore and Point Richmond will receive degree work of the order Ignatian Degree Team is as follows: Grand secretary, George Stanley; grand director, B L. McKinley, Stanislaus A. Riley, I. D. Dwyer, R. D. Blake, Charles A. Whelan, organist.

The local committee in charge is as follows. D. F. Mannion, chairman, W. J Dwan, secretary; J. B. Dowling, A. W. Waters, D F Clifford, T. McCullough, J. F. Fleming, I. J Mendizabal, A. Hartmann, Frank R. Bailey, P. F. Galligan, T Riordan and M C Limas

ERROR HALTS PROXY MARRIAGE

Miss Alice Mack of Berkeley to Go to Java for the Ceremony.

Everything was in readiness for the wedding to be solemnized when Miss Alice Julia Mack of Berkeley, who was to have been the first young woman of social prominence in the cities around the bay to be married by proxy to a young man in a foreign country, when it was discovered that the necessary papers had been sent from Holland without the name of the proxy being written in ink and it was impossible for George Marsily, consul general of the Netherlands in San Francisco, to proceed with the nuptials.

According to the Dutch law this would necessitate the return of the document to Queen Wilhelmina's capital for correction, entailing a delay of persaps several months Rather than wait Miss Mack will sail shortly for Java, where her fiance was to have gone through a similar ceremony. There they will marry in person.

Miss Mack lives with her mother, Mrs Robert Mack of 2095 Telegraph avenue, Berkeley. Her father, who was a wealthy Holland merchant, died several years ago She and her mother, having relatives in California, came here to live

Miss Mack spent her childhood in Wageningen, Holland. One of her playmates was Louise Utermohlen, son of a shipbuilder.

They grew up together and became betrothed. When he came of age young Utermohlen was sent to Java, where he is now manager of the shipping concern's interests.

Miss Mack entered the College of Social Sciences at Berkeley and the couple continued a correspondence. Several dates were set for their marriage, but owing to the length of time required to come to this country from Java and return Utermohlen was unable to leave his business.

Destination of Big Cruiser Is Mystery

West Virginia Coaled and Provisioned for Long Trip Over Sea.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17—The destination of the big armored cruiser West Virginia, which sailed for Honolulu yesterday still is unknown outside naval circles The vessel was coaled and provisioned for a long trip It was said, however, that her destination is neither China or Mexico.

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OAKLAND YOUTH 'FOXY' AND FATHER ADMITS IT

Heinrich Johnson Disobeys; Then Turns Up at Detention Home to Save Time

"The foxiest kid I ever did see" is the way 15-year-old Heinrich Johnson's stepfather described him yesterday when the youngster appeared in the juvenile court before Judge Frank B Ogden Heinrich was brought up before the court on the complaint of his mother that he had taken money, in varying amounts, from her and other people, all of which the boy acknowledged, without a particle of hesitation and with no apparent consciousness of guilt

The boy, who looked scarcely 12 years old, as he stood before the judge in his overalls, cap in hand, with unusually clear, frank eyes, fixed on the judge's face, told of the many times he had gotten money and the ways he spent it He told how he had been given several dollars on one occasion to pay a bill for his mother and how he had spent it, with a lot of companions, by going to the moving pictures hows and treating to ice cream and candy. On another occasion he took a hammer from his stepfather and sold it for 15 cents to a neighbor for money to go to the theater. His last escapade was one of many when he ran away from home with money of his mother's

"I took some money and went over to San Francisco," the tale ran, "and went to moving picture shows and ice cream parlors. Then I spent all my money and came back to Oakland and went to the detention home and asked Mr. Page to take me in."

"Why did you do that?" the court asked the boy.

"Oh, I knew I'd get caught anyhow, and so I went right to the detention home."

FRANK, AT LEAST.

The whole story was told with such engaging frankness and utter lack of any realization of responsibility that Heinrich won the hearts of the whole courtroom of listeners. Questioned as to what he wanted to do Heinrich declared that he wanted to learn a trade and go in the navy. Two relatives now on board the Maryland had fired him with that desire and although his enlistment at 15 is out of the question, the court took such an active interest in the boy's aspirations that his case was continued for one week, during which Probation Officer Snedigar will see what arrangements can be made for putting the boy in the naval training school.

Moving picture shows were also the besetting sin of Margaret Johns, 14 years old, who persists in staying out until midnight and later. Margaret has already been sent to an institution for staying out late, but it was thought she had stopped being disobedient, so she was allowed to come home. But the lure of the lights has proved too much for her, so out she has gone again. She doesn't like boys, and doesn't know many girls out in Fitchburg, where she lives, so she goes on all these excursions alone Help given to the neighbors now and then has gotten for her the money to go on, and even the once or twice a week when her parents take her to the shows are not enough. Promises of good behavior secured for Margaret permission of the court to stay at home, provided she really will continue to do so when she should.

BROTHER THERE, TOO.

The same disobedience to parental authority brought Tom Johns, brother of Margaret, into court on an original charge. In her complaint Tom's mother alleged that the boy, 17 years old, is incorrigible, refuses to obey any wishes of his parents, curses his mother and is generally disobedient. Efforts have been made on different occasions to get the boy work, but his high temper and refusal of all restraint lose him every place and he does nothing but loaf with "the gang" The waywardness of his age and lack of proper discipline were thought to be responsible for his troubles instead of constitutional badness, so he was allowed a month in which to hunt up work and to behave himself. If in that time he does not make good, an institution looms up before him.

Two other boys who ran away from home and worked their way about the country working on the railroads and doing other odd jobs called before the court. One was placed on probation during a period of not less than a year while the other had his case continued in an effort to find out whether he is 20 or 21 years of age and so without the jurisdiction of the court.

DR. GRENFELL IS HONORED GUEST

Physician and Philanthropist Entertained by Medical Association.

Dr. William T. Grenfell, physician and philanthropist, who for the past twenty years has been devoting his life to the upliftment of the conditions among the fishermen of Laborador and Newfoundland, was entertained last evening at a dinner as the guest of the Alameda Medical Association.

Two short addresses were made by Dr. W. A. Clark, president of the association, who presided, and Dr. E. E Evans, of the Dental Association.

Dr. Grenfell talked on the medical problems of his work, speaking of the characteristics of the people, their mode of life, and the lack of surgical and medical aid in that locality. He gave some startling accounts of his experiences while traveling up and down the coast on his ship, the Strathcona, which is fitted out with many hospital conveniences, including an X-ray apparatus At different points five hospitals have been established, three are located in Labrador and two in Newfoundland, each of which has a motor boat and sledge

Besides lending medical and surgical assistance to the inhabitants of the locality Grenfell has established a lumber mill, and it has been possible for the people to build better houses besides finding employment and support through their labors Social conditions have been encouraged among these humble fishermen through correspondence, which Grenfell says he has often had completely in his charge, owing to the fact that they would call upon him to write the letters and when he arrived at the letter's destination he was often called upon to read it for the recipient

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STANDARD OIL CO. TO ERECT BUILDING

Richmond Expects Six-story Office Block With Headquarters for Officials.

RICHMOND, Feb. 17. — It is reported that the Standard Oil Company of California, whose greatest oil refinery in America now employs 1800 men here, will soon to move its general offices to Richmond and to erect a class A six-story building in which will be located the home offices of the officials of the company, with scores of clerks and stenographers now employed at the San Francisco offices.

It was rumored some time ago that the great oil company would erect a large structure for office purposes at San Francisco, but it is thought now that the intention is not only to build here but continue with the work of enlargement of the local plant now going on extensively until it will become the largest oil refinery in the world. Increased shipments by water because of the opening of the Panama canal make this practicable.

OKLAHOMA SOLID FOR CHAMP CLARK

Friends of Missourian Presidential Aspirant Confident of Winning.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 17.—Claiming two-thirds of the delegates to next week's state Democratic convention who are being elected at county conventions today Champ Clark's supporters predict that Oklahoma will send a solid Clark delegation to Baltimore. The county convention furnishes the first real test of strength among the Democratic candidates for president.

Governor Wilson claims the Clark supporters will not be borne out by the returns

The Clark adherents have pushed their county conventions campaign for specific instructions in favor of the Missourian. Wilson workers have contented themselves with campaigning for uninstructed delegates

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The Meddler

THE symbols of the month are, of course, hearts and cupids, for the week has been full of what one might call Valentine activities. Bridge afternoons, teas, luncheons, fancy dress parties, have absorbed the attention of the smart set and one's calendar has been full of dates of more than the usual degree of interest. Good Saint Valentine must, indeed, have been pleased at the way his anniversary has been remembered.

The date of the week of most importance has been, of course, the Ebell luncheon, since 250 women were assembled, and the luncheon program planned was the most interesting of the year. The large hall in the Ebell Clubhouse represented a charming scheme of yellow, and the tables were picturesque in spring-like effects, with quantities of yellow daffodils.

The luncheon was important for the fact that it outlined to the women of Oakland for the first time the plans for the great coming "Biennial," when eight hundred thousand clubwomen are to be represented in San Francisco. Three thousand delegates are coming and, of course, a great number of their friends, and hundreds of California women will also assemble in San Francisco and Oakland; and it must be remembered that the three thousand women represent the very flower of womanhood of the United States. From all over the Union they are coming, and from Hawaii and the Philippines making one of the finest conventions the state has known. So preparations are now actively under way to make the occasion one that may fully sustain California's reputation for whole-hearted hospitality. While the convention is to be held across the bay, it does not represent San Francisco "party"; the members are guests of the state, and the clubwomen thereof are making every effort to meet the emergency. The renting of the hall will cost $1500 and the decorations $1500 more, and that is only a begining. One was proud to hear that the Ebell Club of Oakland was the first to send its assessment to the state board.

There is to be a large reception at the Palace Hotel, and, of course, there are to be trips around the bay. One day is set apart for the visitors to go to Palo Alto and already preparations are elaborately planned. San Jose is to blossom in great fields of sweet peas, and the sight bids fair to be wonderful and picturesque.

For Oakland day just one thing has been scheduled up to date—a forty-minute visit to the Greek Theater at Berkeley. After that Alameda county will have to plan for the guests.

All the clubwomen are pledging themselves to remain in town till after the convention, although it is not now apparent how the vacation days for the children may be arranged.

Miss Eva Powell and Mrs. Thomas Hogan have two very important places on the Biennial Board. Miss Powell holds the responsible position of chairman of the finance committee, and Mrs. Thomas Hogan is chairman of the committee on fruit and flowers, two things for which California has long been famous.

The state is responding beautifully and incoming trains will be met far up in the Sierras, and there will be quantities of book fruit and flowers as one phase of a cordial welcome.

Mrs. Charles J. Woodbury, the exceedingly clever president of Ebell, opened the program in one of her bright speeches. They are always quaint, clever and original, and bring out a spontaneous response from her audience. The members of the Biennial Board made very clever addresses and the music of the program was songs by Mrs. Richard Partington.

Those of us who have heard her at the Frank Havens' entertainments know of old what an exceedingly beautiful voice she had, but her singing was a great revelation to the Ebell members who did not know that in our midst lived quietly so fine an artist.

The hostess of the day was Mrs. James Jenks, who was formerly Miss Vibelia Martin, daughter of the late J. C. Martin. Mrs. Jenks is so cordial, with such a winning personality, that she made each one of Ebell's guests feel personally welcome. Among the guests at the "round table" were the members of the Biennial Board—Mrs. E. G. Denniston, Miss Eva Powell, Mrs. Annie Little Barry, Mrs. Wallace Pond, Mrs. C. S. Chamberlain, Mrs. Frank B. Weeks.

Other guests at the "round table" were:

Miss Mollie Conners, Mrs. Ralph Kinney, Mrs. C. W. Kinsey, Mrs. E. W. Owen, Mrs. Dwight Huntley, Mrs. James A. Johnson, Miss Antoinette Wilkinson, Mrs. W. F. Kett.

Some very handsome costumes were worn at the luncheon, and Mrs. Jenks looked exceedingly well in a beautiful reception gown in old rose tones, the gown elaborately trimmed in lace and in Oriental designs. Mrs. Charles H. King, who was in the receiving party, wore an exceedingly handsome gown of all-over white lace, with diamond ornaments.

Among the many guests present were: Mrs. Harry Carlton, Mrs. James A. Johnson, Mrs. J. Carroll Ewing, Mrs. D. B. Hunter, Mrs. William R. Davis, Mrs. Samuel Taylor, Mrs. Maud Eberts, Mrs. Frank Watson, Mrs. E. D. Yorker, Mrs. Richard Partington, Miss Horton, Mrs. Jennie Klopp, Mrs. John Tennis, Mrs. Frederick Stolp, Mrs. O. D. Hamlin.

MISS IRENE SMITH, an Alameda girl with a wide friendship circle here.—Bushnell Photo.

MISS ANNA POSTON, fiancee of Frederick Goodchild of London.—Genthe Photo.

SEVERAL HOSTESSES AT LARGE TEAS.

Among the hostesses at large teas this week were Mrs. Thomas More Oliney, Mrs. John L. Howard, Mrs. Farnham and Mrs. Clifton Kroll.

Mrs. Olney gave her "at home" on Tuesday, making Mrs. Prentiss Selby her guest of honor. The Thomas Olneys have their own attractive home, but since the departure of the Warren Olneys they have been living in the family home of the Olneys in Prospect Heights.

Both the Olneys and Selbys represent families for years prominent in the history of our city, and the Selby home has represented high standards of culture and generous hospitality.

Mrs. Selby is spending a great deal of time in the East, having closed her home here while Arthur Selby is completing his college course. Her old friends here are very glad to welcome her home when she comes on a visit to Oakland, and Mrs. Olney's tea gave them a delightful opportunity of meeting this charming and popular guest of honor. Mrs. Olney (Coralie Selby) is one of the most unaffected, sincere and gracious of young hostesses, and she has many devoted friends. So the tea at her home carried the true elements of a social success.

There was no formal receiving party, though the Misses Florence and Edith Selby assisted in making their sister's guests welcome. They are splendid girls, both of whom have studied extensively along valuable lines. Miss Edith Selby is a graduate of the State University and she has spent many months in travel in Europe. Miss Florence Selby studied art in New York and won many honors along the line of fine original designing. She also has traveled abroad extensively, obtaining that culture and that wider horizon which comes from life among different people and in foreign lands. Mrs. Olney's aunt, Mrs. A. J. Ralston, spends a great deal of time now in her beautiful country home in Los Gatos, and the William Bullitts (Miss Clare Ralston) have also established a permanent home near San Jose. A tea where so many old-time friends are gathered together is of exceptional interest, and Mrs. Olney's "at home" represented one of the leading social affairs of the late winter. Mrs. Olney's list of friends is a long one, and among the prominent people invited to her "at home" were:

Mrs. A. J. Ralston	Mrs. William Moller
Mrs. William Bullitt	Misses Moller
Mrs. E. J. Barrett	Mrs. Archibald Borland
Mrs. Sam Breck	Mrs. Edward von Adelung
Mrs. H. C. Taft	Mrs. Charles Palmer
Miss Chrissie Taft	Miss Beasie Palmer
Miss Dorothy Taft	Mrs. George Wheaton
Mrs. Mark L. Requa	Mrs. Thomas Crellin
Mrs. Oscar Long	Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald
Mrs. R. L. Stephenson	Miss Mona Crellin
Mrs. Philip Clay	Mrs. Harrison Clay
Misses Barry	Mrs. J. K. McLean
Miss Madeline Clay	Mrs. Warren Olney, Jr.
Miss Mollie Conners	Mrs. F. M. Smith
Mrs. Moffitt	Mrs. A. A. Moore
Mrs. James K. Moffitt	Mrs. R. C. Brown
Mrs. Remi Chabot	Mrs. Everts
Mrs. J. F. Dunn	Miss Florinne Brown
Mrs. Leon Bocqueraz	Mrs. T. L. Barker
Mrs. J. H. Dieckmann	Mrs. Wallace Alexander
Mrs. E. B. Beck	Mrs. M. W. Kales
Miss Edith Beck	Mrs. Thomas Knowles
Mrs. T. C. Cooran	Miss Rose Kales
Miss May Coogan	Mrs. A. Schilling
Mrs. Maxwell Taft	Miss Elsa Schilling
Mrs. John Valentine	Mrs. Paul Dinsmore
Miss Ethel Valentine	
Mrs. William R. Davis	

MRS. J. L. HOWARD GIVES BIG RECEPTION.

On Thursday Mrs. John L. Howard gave a large reception at her home on Vernon Heights, entertaining for Mrs. Duncan McDuffie, who was formerly Jean Howard. The guest list included many of Mrs. McDuffie's school friends, and in the receiving party were many young matrons who were belles of the former "Fortnightly" dances.

The Howard home on Vernon Heights is a very spacious one, admirably adapted for a large tea, and it was made specially attractive by the lovely spring decorations of fruit blossoms, lilies of the valley and jonquils.

Mrs. Howard and Mrs. McDuffie were assisted in receiving their friends by Mrs. Russell Selfridge, Mrs. Irving Lundborg, Miss Florence Lundborg, Miss Florence Selby, Miss Edith Selby, Miss Sue de Fremery, Mrs. J. P. Dunn, Mrs. George Reinhardt, Mrs. William Farley, Mrs. Walter Hart, Mrs. Hubert Hamilton Brown, Mrs. Frank Adams, Miss Nellie Adams, Miss Dorothy Taft, Miss Beatrice Vrooman, Mrs. James K. Moffitt, Mrs. John L. Howard Jr., Mrs. Harry Howard, Mrs. Charles P. Howard, Mrs. Edward Howard.

The receiving party represented a very attractive list of young matrons. Mrs. James K. Moffitt and Mrs. Herbert Hamilton Brown are beautiful types of womanhood, and Mrs. George Reinhardt is very stunning. She led the way in the suffrage ranks in very much the same fashion that the beautiful Inez Mulholland is leading the way in New York. Miss Florence Lundborg, the well-known artist, was in the receiving party, Mrs. McDuffie having been one of her intimate friends in the months they both spent in Paris.

Mrs. Russell Selfridge and Miss Beatrice Vrooman were two members of the receiving party who were specially welcomed by old friends. Mrs. Selfridge was formerly Miss Grace Baldwin and her home was for years on Vernon Heights, adjoining the home of the Howards. Miss Beatrice Vrooman is making her home across the bay, and her sister, Mrs. William Colby (Rachel Vrooman) has a delightful home in Berkeley.

One met so many young matrons who had been schoolgirls together, that one might have fancied oneself back in the old Fortnightly days, when there was a dance every two weeks, and a cotillion, with fascinating favors, made life full of interest for a bright "younger set."

THURSDAY IS BUSY DAY FOR SOCIETY.

Four dates on Thursday called out many prominent people. Mrs. Cutting entertained at bridge and there were three "at homes." Mrs. Samuel Cheyney entertained at a most original tea, making her guests of honor the "Steindorff Trio," who are doing such extremely good work along musical lines. The guests of honor were:

Mrs. Frederick Stratton, Mrs. Harry Knowles, Mrs. George Jensen, Mrs. Harvey Lindsey, Miss Chrissie Taft, Miss Carrie Nicholson, Miss Lucy Herrick and Miss May Coogan. They represent a musical trio who are doing exceptionally fine ensemble work. Mrs. Stratton was for many years in Paris and studied music

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here; Miss Lucy Herrick is a fine musician and she also did good work abroad; Mrs. George Jensen (Anita Oliver) received fine training in New York, and Miss May Coogan has studied under specially good teachers. Mrs. Cheyney is a pianiste of great ability. She was formerly Miss Bessie Wall and, with her mother and sister, spent some years in Germany, studying under one of the best masters in Berlin.

At Mrs. Cheyney's tea there was a musical program. The first number was contributed by the hostess, who is a brilliant player, and the trio gave some delightful selections.

Among those invited were Mrs. H. C. Taft, Miss Dorothy Taft, Mrs. Clarence Shuey, Mrs. Max Taft, Mrs. John R. Glascock, Mrs. Minor Goodall, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Miss Marjorie Coogan.

PICTURES IN THE MEDDLER.

Miss Anna Poston, whose picture appears in tonight's Meddler, is the daughter of Mrs. H. L. Poston of Vernon Heights. Her engagement to Frederick Goodchild of London was recently announced. The bride-elect is a graduate of Miss Head's school of Berkeley and is well known socially.

Mrs. Robert D. Pike is a young matron of the bay cities who is active in social affairs.

Mrs. William Dallas is a sister of Mrs. W. A. Hershiser of this city. She is at present in the north, where she is being much entertained.

Miss Irene Smith is an Alameda girl who has a host of friends here and in the Encinal City.

MANY OAKLANDERS IN AFFAIRS ACROSS BAY.

Many well-known Oakland people are being included in social activities across the bay. Today Mrs. Percy Hinks, Miss Mabel Pierce and Miss Franc Pierce were hostesses at a large tea given at their home on Russian Hill. The guest of honor was their aunt, Mrs. William Lamartine Breyfogle, who was formerly Mrs. Charles D. Pierce of this city. Mrs. Hinks was formerly Miss Hazel Pierce and her home is now in the Santa Clara valley, where the Hinks have large business interests.

The Pierce girls have many friends on this side of the bay, as their home was formerly here on Harrison street, and their school days were largely passed at the Horton school and at our state university. In addition all three of the girls have spent some years at Wellesley.

Dr. Breyfogle is related to the Breyfogles of San Francisco and San Jose, and Mrs. Breyfogle will be entertained by them also. Dr. and Mrs. Breyfogle have returned to the Palace hotel after a visit of some days in Stockton. The Breyfogles expect to spend the next three months in San Francisco, when they will go east and spend the summer in Dr. Breyfogle's summer home on Long Island.

Many members of the Ebell Club were included in the invitations sent out by the Misses Pierce for the tea in honor of their aunt, Mrs. Breyfogle.

MRS. KROLL AND MOTHER, HOSTESSES.

The tea given by Mrs. Kroll and her mother, Mrs. E. C. Farnham, was in honor of Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Farnham's cousin, whose home is in Evanston, Ill., and who is planning to spend the late winter on this coast. The Krolls have a very delightful home at Piedmont, but the tea was given in the larger home of Mrs. Farnham on Kingston avenue.

The home was beautifully decorated with lovely spring blossoms and with daffodils, and made an exceedingly fine study in decoration.

Mrs. Sylvanus Farnham, whose home is in San Francisco, came across the bay to assist her relatives in receiving. Others in the receiving party were:

Mrs. Alexander Allen	Mrs. William Knowles
Mrs. L. M. Crandall	Mrs. Norman Miller
Mrs. J. B. Clifford	Mrs. H. H. Watson Jr.
Mrs. Q. A. Chase	Mrs. Sam Breck
Mrs. Harry Davis	Miss Elsie Clifford
Miss Bruce Hayden	Miss Mary McClees
Mrs. W. F. Kroll	Miss Lillie Kroll

SUCCESSFUL BRIDGE AT HOME CLUB.

One of the largest bridge afternoons of the week was that given at the Home Club, when Mrs. J. Carroll Ewing, Mrs. Timothy Scanlon and Mrs. Frank J. Leavitt entertained a large number of friends. Their afternoon was perfectly arranged, and it proved a most delightful affair for the guests happy enough to be included in their list. The day was ideal and the Home Club makes a most attractive setting for a card gathering. Twenty-one tables were prepared for the guests in the gallery upstairs which made a bright color study, decorated in great red hearts in honor of "St. Valentine's day."

The name cards were the most delightful valentines, each carrying an appropriate wish for a guest, and they were so greatly appreciated that every one was carefully carried home.

Bridge and auction were the games of the afternoon and the prizes were specially well chosen. They were powder boxes in the most unique Oriental designs, making prizes useful as well as most artistic souvenirs.

The hostesses received their guests in the lower hall and they made a charming picture—three young matrons who were happy themselves because they were making their friends happy. Mrs. Ewing looked very handsome indeed in a costume in orchid tones so deep that it was almost purple. The gown was of messaline and was very beautifully trimmed in cream colored lace. Ornaments in orchid-hued tones were worn in her hair and completed a most effective and artistic costume.

Mrs. Scanlon wore a gown of rose-colored messaline veiled in flowered chiffon. The corsage was beautifully trimmed in lace, and the gown was made along extremely attractive lines.

Mrs. Frank J. Leavitt's gown was a handsome creation in rose chiffon, beautifully hand embroidered. Black satin and lace arranged in new designs were used as trimming.

Many very handsome costumes were in evidence at the card party. Mrs. T. C. Coogan wore a tailored gown of black velvet, with ermine furs.

Mrs. Harrison Clay wore a most becoming costume in king's blue, with a hat to match the gown, also in tones of king's blue.

Mrs. Frederick Stolp and Mrs. Francis Musser also wore gowns which were both artistic and becoming.

Among the costumes that were very handsome and appropriate were those worn by Mrs. Elsie Nusbaumer, Mrs. J. Walter Scott, Mrs. Frances Thomas, Mrs. John Francis Smith, Mrs. Joseph Kelly, Miss Mollie Conners, Mrs. Haslett of Alameda, Mrs. Arthur L. Adams, Mrs. Hugh Hogan, Mrs. Mau, Mrs. George Reed, Mrs. Jennie Klopp and Mrs. O. D. Hamlin.

The hostesses were assisted in receiving their guests by a number of bright young girls, among whom was Miss Grace Ewing, a most attractive and lovable girl. Her gown in orchid tones was specially becoming to her blonde coloring, and she made her mother's guests welcome in a most happy fashion. Miss Leila Ewing is a senior in the University of California. The bridge party arranged along such delightful lines was a charming affair and very successful.

HORTON SCHOOL DANCE IS INTERESTING ONE.

An exceedingly interesting dance was given last evening at the Horton school, when the members of the senior class entertained a large number of their young friends. The dance was chaperoned by Miss Horton and a number of her teachers, among whom were Miss Nellie Jones, Miss Charlotte Center and Miss Burnham. This is the first dance given in the fine new Horton school on Palm avenue, and was a most delightful and successful affair.

HONOR IS PAID DICKENS' MEMORY.

On Tuesday evening the English class of the Young Women's Christian Association and their friends enjoyed an evening with Dickens, whose centennial birthday they honored.

For the first number on the program Luella Wagner Coplin sang charmingly an old English song, accompanied on the violin by Miss Lillian Gexendorf, who shows great promise as a violinist.

Miss Julia E. Colby gave a most interesting talk on Dickens, "the man who cheered the world up," the great lover of humanity. From the first books, "Pickwick" and "Oliver Twist," down to "Our Mutual Friend," Dickens gave to the world a permanent contribution of happiness. He vitalized every character and every book with a great faith that "men and women, born with heavenly compassion in their hearts," would bring about every ultimate good to the world.

Mrs. Martin Brigman gave a most artistic and realistic reading of three selections from Dickens:

"The Cratchit Dinner" from "Christmas Carol," "The Death of Little Jo" from "Bleak House," and "Dick Swiveller and the Marchioness" from "Old Curiosity Shop." Her mingling of pathos and humor was shaded most delightfully and gave thorough pleasure to the audience.

MRS. W. H. L. HYNES ENTERTAINS FRIENDS.

Mrs. W. H. L. Hynes has been giving several interesting affairs lately at her pretty Alameda home. Last Wednesday Mrs. Hynes gave a bridge luncheon, entertaining about thirty friends. The rooms were very prettily decorated, the hostess carrying out a valentine scheme. A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by those present. Mrs. Hynes is a very popular hostess and has presided at a number of social affairs during the winter season. She will leave for Europe next month and will be gone during the summer.

MRS. A. A. PENNOYER LEAVES FOR EAST.

Mrs. A. A. Pennoyer and her son, Sheldon Pennoyer, left for the east last Thursday, going directly to Washington, where they are to meet Richard Pennoyer. After a brief visit they will go on to Paris, where their home will be for some time to come.

Richard Pennoyer is now in the diplomatic service and has been assigned to an important post in South America. The Pennoyer home in the Berkeley foothills was purchased two years ago by the B. F. Watsons, who formerly lived on Lake street.

BRIDE-ELECT IS MISS GIBSON'S GUEST.

Miss Grace Gibson gave an elaborate luncheon this week across the bay for one of the brides-elect of the year, Miss Alexandra Shields. Among Miss Gibson's guests were:

Misses—	Madeline Clay
Janet Painter	Franc Pierce
Harriet Stone	Marie Tyson
Marian Stone	

TAYLORS SPEND WINTER ACROSS THE BAY.

Mrs. Laura Taylor and her son, Ray Taylor, are spending the winter at the Keystone, across the bay. Ray Taylor was recently the host at a delightful dance there, and he was assisted in receiving his friends by his mother and by Mrs. Felton Taylor and Mrs. Montel Taylor. Mrs.

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MRS. ROBERT D. PIKE, a young matron who has taken an active part in social gayeties. —Moore & Clark Photo.

MRS. WILLIAM E. DALLAS, who is at present in the north and will visit here later.—Bushnell Photo.

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WOMEN IN THE NEWS

DAINTY LIPS PUFF CIGARETTES AND BREAK RULES OF HOTEL

Maids and Matrons of Smart Set Rudely Disturb Peace of Fairmont.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb. 17.—That laws, rules and regulations are made to be broken has long been a well-known fact and a Hoosac tunnel dent was last night placed in the time-honored rule of the Fairmont Hotel, which had forbidden the fairer sex the pleasure of the dainty after-dinner cigarette.

The famous quotation of a former prominent railroad magnate anent the public was the implied opinion of the guests of a largely attended dinner at the big hostelry last evening. At the tables of this particular party were seated in the neighborhood of one hundred guests. Immediately following the meal the matrons and maids of the party, and they were about equally divided, repaired to an ante-room, where cigarette boxes were produced and dainty lips were shortly puffing fragrantly perfumed smoke. The incident attracted much attention and provoked considerable comment.

Police Take Hand

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 17.—Trial marriages entered into for the laudable purpose of making it possible to shun the divorce courts, resulted in the arrest of W. H. Moon, aged 30 years. The two had been living together for six weeks, Moon told the police, and expected to continue about as much longer, and at the end of that time, if everything had gone well between them, they would be married.

The police tried to persuade Moon to marry the girl, but he refused to do so until his trial marriage scheme had been worked out.

"Bear Cat Coat"

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—New styles in the coming spring and summer gowns were attractively portrayed at the annual banquet given by the Garment Manufacturers' Association yesterday. The predominating feature was described as the "one-sided effect."

One of the novelties is called the "bear cat coat." It has a flaring collar and large buttons that fasten at the side. It is roomy at the knees, but narrows at the ankles.

Another gown of attractive design and worn with an "aurora borealis" hat of flaming red was called a "Yama Yama" promenade suit. It is of light material, with narrow stripe and bloomers effect.

There were also novelties in bathing suits. Bright colored trimming is carried out from collar to slippers.

Has the Habit

MEDFORD, Ore., Feb. 17.—Perry Knotts of Gold Hill came here yesterday and obtained a warrant for the arrest of his wife, Ida, and Arthur J. Smith, a miner of Gold Hill, who are alleged to have eloped on Monday, leaving for Sacramento. Mrs. Knotts deserted three children, taking her youngest son, 6 years old, with her.

This is the second time Smith has secured a wife in this manner, according to Knotts. It is alleged that he eloped from Boise, Idaho, some years ago with a Mrs. Vandewalker, whom he married after her husband had divorced her. This wife died eighteen months ago.

For some time Smith has been boarding at the Knotts home at Gold Hill. On Sunday he left, ostensibly for the north, but doubled back, meeting Mrs. Knotts at Ashland, where friends recognized them and communicated with Knotts. They succeeded in leaving for the South, however, and are now believed to be in Sacramento.

To Wed Count

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17.—Letters to her parents in Saticoy, Cal., from Miss Olivia Fitzpatrick, whose engagement in Austria to Count Hans Larisch has just been announced, she and the count will come to California to spend their honeymoon, and that they will build a castle in the Golden State.

Miss Fitzpatrick, although born on her father's ranch near Saticoy, is of noble lineage. She was sent to Austria by her parents to receive the finishing touches to her education. As the guest of her cousin, the Princess of Pless, she met Count Larisch.

Miss Fitzpatrick is a granddaughter of Lady Olivia Fitzpatrick of England and niece of Mrs. Cornwallis-West.

In Another's Arms

FRESNO, Feb. 17.—Because he returned to his home, raised a disturbance with his wife and then went into the barn with the avowed intention of committing suicide, William Mertens will have to spend the next ten days in the county jail. Yesterday he pleaded guilty to a charge of disturbing the peace.

Mertens informed the court that he wanted to die, as he had returned to his home and found his wife embraced in the arms of a Frenchman.

Admits His Guilt

OREGON CITY, Feb. 17.—Richard Hyland pleaded guilty to a charge of bigamy here yesterday and will be sentenced by Judge Campbell. He explained to the court that he had been virtually forced to marry Elsie Wilhelm, who came here from Albany with him several weeks ago. Later a letter was found in Hyland's room that convinced the authorities that Hyland had a wife in Chico, Cal., and he was arrested at The Dalles with his new bride.

The Chico Mrs. Hyland, when communicated with, filed a charge of bigamy.

Accused of Theft

STOCKTON, Feb. 17.—A complaint charging embezzlement has been issued by R. A. Barton, proprietor of a local grocery store against Fred C. Clark, a well known young man of the city and a bellhopman of a month. Clark is said to have stolen $67 from his employer.

Clark fled from the city several days ago and the first report of his absence came from his young bride, who, unsuspecting the cause, reported to the police that her husband had disappeared and she was afraid he had met with foul play.

Serves Edna

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—After threatening to stay all night in the suite of Miss Edna Goodrich, the former wife of Nat Goodwin, at the Hotel La Salle at 11 o'clock Thursday night, Deputy Sheriff John E. Otis was permitted to serve a summons on Miss Goodrich to appear in the superior court at Los Angeles in answer to a suit for $2700 for rent.

Children to Wed

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 17.—Rosella Petzke, aged 15 of Princeton, appeared with her mother at the county clerk's office yesterday to get a marriage license to wed Claude Freeman, aged 19 of Rosville, her stepbrother. Freeman senior married Mrs. Petzke, and now their children by former marriages want to follow suit.

THE IMPORTANCE OF REST TO BEAUTY

By Lillian Russell

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YOUNG girls require rest to develop them. Rest is as necessary as work, but there is a right and a wrong way to rest.

Girls should be trained to take rest at proper seasons, whether they feel tired or not. On rest depends the suppleness of limb and body, and women should know how to take advantage, to secure rest and conserve strength. Work while you work and rest while you rest, should be a rule for every girl and woman.

There is nothing more beneficial to a woman than a good hard day's work, whether it be the pleasurable games of tennis, basketball, horseback riding, walking, or just housework.

Earnestness of purpose shortens time, and every form of work should be done with a willing heart and belief in its physical benefit. When the work is completed, then a refreshing bath should be taken and half an hour's perfect rest. To get the best results from the rest a person should lie flat upon her back on a long couch or on a bed, with just enough pillow to fill the space between the shoulders and the head, and keep the heels together and the arms down straight against the sides. Then relax and breathe deeply half a dozen times, the eyes closed and lips pressed together. Half an hour of such rest will refresh a person to a wonderful degree.

The old fashioned rocking chair habit is not restful, as when rocking you are moving the body constantly, while you should be perfectly quiet.

In the study of a long part, we professionals would not dare to study continually and go directly on the stage to play it, without an absolute rest from even a thought of it, for one whole day. We work hard and incessantly while we work, then put aside the manuscript and allow the mind to relax. When the mind is rested we find that we know and remember all we have studied and feel relieved and refreshed.

When you have work to do, do not dawdle over it and draw it out, but go about it joyfully and get it over quickly. If it is work hard enough to bring out a profuse perspiration, you will be greatly benefited by better circulation and clearer complexion.

I know women who seem to take a pride in the fact that they never perspire, as if it were a sign of gentility, they never fail to pay the penalty in sallowness of complexion and adipose. Easy going women grow fat. The active woman keeps down flesh and looks as young at 50 as she did at 20. Sitting too much thickens the back of the neck and causes that fatal lump of fat which some people consider a sign of age. I have seen girls of 20 acquire that fatty lump by a phlegmatic, lazy habit of sitting all day reading novels and eating sweets.

Remember: Work is the salvation of women and girls, and rest is more enjoyed for having been deserved.

Lillian Russell

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

A READER—If you will send a self-addressed and stamped envelope I shall gladly send you a formula that is excellent for removing freckles.

L. M. C.—Do not under any consideration tamper with the mole on your face or irritate it in any way. If the mole projects it can easily be removed by tying a white silk thread as near the base as possible. This stops all nourishment and in a few days it will turn black and drop off without leaving a scar. If the mole is flat the safest way is to have it removed with the electric needle.

JESSIE E. M.—Yes, the face should be cleansed with soap and water at least once a day. Creams do not make the skin flabby unless used to excess. Before washing the face cleanse the face with the cream, then wash the face with plenty of pure soap and warm water, rinsing with as cold water as you can stand, and if possible place a small piece of ice in a cloth and rub the face with it. This hardens the flesh. There is nothing better for keeping the pores closed than plenty of cold water, or applications of alcohol or witch-hazel. Do not, I beg of you, try anything on your face unless you know positively what it is and what it will do. A curling fluid is not injurious to the hair. Moisten the hair with a little of the fluid before doing it up on kid curlers or papers, or before using the iron. It will stay in curl a couple of days.

AMIE R.—In the case of double chin, prevention is much easier than to cure. T, shrdlu cmfwyp p ways make ugly rolls of fat under the chin, and the habit of holding the chin down and in is fatal. I think the following simple means very effective. All that you must do is to lift your head and blow at a bit of imaginary thistledown, keeping the chin in the air for about five minutes, supposing the thistledown to be first on one side of you and then at the other. Try this before your glass and see how it rounds out your neck and tightens the muscles.

You are certainly not too old to get rid of the lines you speak of, and I will be glad to send you complete facial massage directions if you will write me again, asking for them, enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope. To fill out the hollows in your cheeks, rub the skin food into the skin with the palms of the hands, using a circular movement, and leaving some on to be absorbed during the night. I will also be glad to send you an astringent which is excellent for tightening the muscles and shrinking the skin.

H. McK.—Undue moisture in the palms of the hands is often an expression of extreme nervousness. Sometimes the perspiration may be checked by slices of lemon squeezed on the hands after washing. If this is insufficient, try bathing them with the following lotion: Six ounces rosewater, two ounces elder flower water, one-half ounce tincture of benzoin and ten grains tannic acid. This can be applied several times a day with a bit of old linen or antiseptic gauze.

OAKLAND'S BOYS AND GIRLS

COLLEGE NEWS TO BE FLASHED BY WIRELESS

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17.—To transmit school news from the University of Southern California to and from other educational institutions throughout the State, a wireless station is being built.

Students of the electrical engineering department planned and assembled the necessary apparatus under the supervision of Professor Nye. The aerial for sending and receiving has been erected on the gymnasium building. It is the largest amateur affair in the West, having a span of 400 feet and hanging 105 feet from the ground. It will have a sending capacity of 400 miles and unlimited receiving scope.

Since the decision of the student body to publish a daily paper, the use of the wireless station will be of value in receiving news from publications from other local colleges, as well as from northern schools.

The University of Southern California has communicated with Stanford, California, St. Mary's College, Denver University, the University of Redlands and Pomona College, asking them to install stations.

TO AID CHARITY IS HER OBJECT

JESSIE PIPER.

To practice charity and assist in philanthropic work is the desire of Jessie Piper, who has frequently given a helping hand in benefit entertainments. She seldom misses an opportunity to aid a worthy cause. Jessie has been praised for her unselfish work. The little woman is attending the public schools, where she has legions of friends. She is also admired among her playmates, who have learned of her ambition to help the poor and needy.

MILADY'S HAT TO BE SMALL AND VERY GAY

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—The National Association of Retail Milliners, in convention here, decided the proper thing in hats this spring should be.

Small or medium in size.

A riot of colors, with plenty of plain red.

Novelties in Turkish designs.

Anything rather than large hats for fashionable women.

In the way of novelties, an umbrella hat, a "southwester," many "creations" evolved from the Turkish towel—red stripes, tassels and all—and wound turban effects are set forth in the display of hats.

Styles this season are to be less expensive and more simple but startling in coloring, said Mrs. Marie Harris, president of the association.

The man who is his own worst enemy always attempts to shift the blame.

CHILD GARDENERS OF BERKELEY TO BE GIVEN AID

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce Thursday evening, Professor John A. Imrie, representing the Berkeley Gardening Association, presented a request for action that will lend encouragement to the efforts of the children of Berkeley in growing flowers and vegetables in gardens planted and cultivated entirely by themselves. Professor Imrie reported that a large number of children are successfully engaged in this recreation and that they are benefited in many ways by their contact with nature. He suggested that prizes be offered for excellence in producing flowers and vegetables, and that provision be made for displaying the best collections at the coming spring flower festival.

Dealing with another phase of the gardening work for children was a letter from Mayor J. Stitt Wilson, who wrote as follows:

"I wish again to draw attention of the Floral Festival committees to the fact that several of the schools of the city are ready to utilize vacant lots near the school houses and cultivate flowers under the direction of Professor Stebbins of the Agricultural Department of the University of California. I believe it would be well to [illegible] the beautification of Berkeley in general and for the production of flowers for the festival in particular. Each school having a lot under cultivation could easily prepare a float for the floral parade, and special prizes might be awarded to the schol presenting the finest display. I believe that the festival committees would do well to encourage the schools in this work and to promote the seeding of other lots throughout the city in flowers. This can be done very cheaply and easily. The lots for this latter work need not be plowed. The seed can be simply raked in. However, this work must be undertaken immediately, or it will be too late.

"A resolution from the citizens committee formed tonight to assist the schools or offer prizes, etc., would immediately encourage every school in the city to act."

FIRST LA GRIPPE, THEN BRONCHITIS.

That was the case with Mrs. W. S. Baller, McKinney, Ky. "My wife was taken down with a severe attack of la grippe, which run into bronchitis. She coughed as if she had consumption and could not sleep at night. The first bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar compound gave her so much relief that she continued using it until she was permanently cured." Wishart's drug store, corner Tenth and Washington streets.

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(Con. from Preceding Page.)

Felton Taylor recently entertained at an elaborate dinner, among her guests being:

Mrs. William Obear, Mrs. Churchill Taylor, Mrs. Charles H. Lovell, Mrs. Daisy Holbrook Hare, Mrs. Egbert Stone, Mrs. Seth Mann.

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FRANK EDOFF IS GENIAL HOST.

Frank Edoff was a genial host recently, entertaining a party of bright young people at the Edoff home in Brookdale. The young people were chaperoned by Mrs. Vance McClymonds, and among the young girls of the party were Miss Jessie Craig and Miss Letty Barry.

J. P. Edoff recently returned from a trip to Cuba and the canal zone, and he is very delighted that there is a good prospect, through his efforts, of Oakland's securing one of the cannons of the Maine. As there are only four of them Oakland will indeed be a favored city.

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C. C. CLAYS PLAN TO OPEN HOME.

The C. C. Clays are planning to open their home, Level Lea, next week, and the Philip Clays are also to return to this side of the bay. They were greatly worried last week over the illness of their little son, who was very ill of pneumonia and whose life was despaired of. Happily he is much better and the Clays and Barrys are deeply thankful. He is a beautiful little boy, exceedingly bright and clever.

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JUNIOR ASSEMBLY BRILLIANT AFFAIR.

The pre-Lenten junior assembly on Friday last was, as usual, an interesting one in numbers and in enthusiasm. The decorations were extremely dainty, bells, clusters and screens of woodwardia and huckleberry effectively placed, with strings of red hearts of every size stretched overhead. The patronesses present were Mrs. Edgar Stone, Mrs. W. H. High, Mrs. Breck, Mrs. Wetmore and Mrs. J. R. Scupham. Among the dancers were:

Misses—	Anita Miller
Allison Stone	Elizabeth Hogan
Helen Brick	Everett Gray
Ruth Stark	Messrs.—
Mildred Manuel	Tom Hogan
Elsie Posey	Craig Ward
Doris Borneman	Charles Egbert
Helene Ritchie	Will High
Susette Greenwood	Ellery Stone
Helen Goodall	Carlton Dethlifson
Marian Hook	Howard Sargeant
Linda Wight	Malcolm Hook
Philena Wetmore	W. Hyneman
Jean Scupham	Grayson McPike
Margine Hubbard	Ransom Henshaw
Elva Ghirardelli	Guy Earl
Etta Schrock	Gaylord Mitchell
Clara Coffin	Ralph Coxhead

The closing dance of this most successful season will be given on the evening of April 12.

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MRS. HARRY MELVIN SENDS OUT CARDS.

Mrs. Harry Melvin, whose home is now on Jones street in San Francisco, has sent out cards for bridge, and she will entertain her friends on the afternoon of February 28.

Mrs. Melvin is entertaining in honor of her mother, Mrs. Morse, and a number of Oakland people have been included in her guest list.

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BETROTHED COUPLE TO BE HONORED.

Mrs. Elsie Nusbaumer and Dr. Pauline Nusbaumer will entertain on February 23 at an evening of bridge in honor of Miss Ethel Johnson and Dr. Elmer Brinckerhoff, whose engagement has been recently announced. The Nusbaumers have delightful apartments in which their friends find the heartiest and most cordial of welcomes. And they are assisted in entertaining their guests by Dr. Nusbaumer's bright and popular young niece, Miss Irene Schweer.

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MRS. A. A. MOORE JR. IS HOSTESS.

The largest luncheon of the week was given yesterday afternoon at the Claremont Country Club, when Mrs. A. A. Moore Jr. entertained in honor of Mrs. Stanley Moore, one of the popular brides of the winter.

So many guests had been invited to the luncheon that they were seated at four tables, each carrying a different color scheme.

One table was done entirely in fruit blossoms, a second in yellow daffodils, the third was a dainty and original color study in Chinese primroses, and the fourth table showed a lovely color scheme in blue and white hyacinths.

Among those invited by Mrs. Moore were:

Mrs. A. A. Moore Sr.	Mrs. James K. Moffitt
Miss Ethel Moore	Mrs. Wickham Havens
Mrs. Hugh Goodfellow	Miss Margaret Moore
Mrs. Henry Nicholls	Mrs. John Valentine
Mrs. Wallace Alexander	Miss Ethel Valentine
Mrs. Isaac Requa	Mrs. Walter Starr
Mrs. Mark Requa	

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FANCY DRESS DANCE FEATURE OF SEASON.

The fancy dress dance at the Claremont Country Club was one of the most successful affairs of the year and many of the girls and young matrons made specially charming pictures; and for once the men are to be commended. Usually they detest a fancy dress dance, because a man never cares to play he is anybody else—he wants to be just himself every minute of the time, and he usually enters only half-heartedly into any masquerade merriment. But on Valentine's evening it was different. Most of the men entered into the fun of the evening, and the fancy dress ball scored a great success.

Mrs. George W. McNear Jr. and her daughter, Ernestine, were "daughters of the harem" in costumes in tones of red. Miss Clarisse Lohse was a delightful colonial belle, with a dainty dimity gown in pannier effect and the bonnets which were so fascinating on the belles of the older days. Honors were carried off by Miss Margaret Moore, who went to the dance as Salome. Miss Moore wore a gown of green messaline covered with beads, and she wore many Oriental ornaments.

Among those at the Valentine dance were:

Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce Johnson	Miss Bernice Macdonald
Miss Josephine Johnson	Mr and Mrs. Bowles
Miss Rose Kales	Miss Bowles
Mr. and Mrs. John Valentine	Mr. and Mrs. George Greenwood
Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Macdonald	Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neville
Captain and Mrs. Goodall	Mr. and Mrs. George de Golia
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Knowles	Mr. and Mrs. Braden
Mr and Mrs. George McNear	Miss Winifred Borden
	Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Parcells

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MISS KEITH WAKEMAN IS BEING ENTERTAINED.

Miss Keith Wakeman, one of the most successful actresses on the American stage, is being entertained in a quiet way by many old friends here.

Miss Wakeman is the daughter of the late Captain Wakeman of East Oakland, and her family was identified with Oakland's progress in early times. Miss Wakeman's girlhood days were passed in East Oakland, and she taught for a while in the Franklin school before going east to study for the stage. Now she returns to us as leading lady in Mantell's Shakespearian company, and she is referred to as the co-star of the company. All the critics are enthusiastic over her superb interpretation of the character of Lady Macbeth, and the sleep-walking scene is the best that has been presented on the American stage.

Four East Oakland girls have scored a signal success on the stage—Maxine and Gertrude Elliott, Keith Wakeman and Nanna Swain, the "Ann Tasker" of the successful Madame Sherry company.

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MISS CALHOUN HAS MANY WELL-WISHERS.

Many good wishes have found their way to Cleveland to Miss Martha Calhoun, whose engagement to Wilson B. Hickox was an announcement of last week. The groom-elect is a successful business man of Cleveland, a graduate of Yale University of the class of 1905.

He is a nephew of Charles Hickox, who married Mrs. Crystal Havens, who was a sister-in-law of Frank and Al. Havens of this city.

Mrs. Paul Dinsmore (Marietta Havens) spent some weeks with Mrs. Hickox in her Cleveland home and was her guest on a most delightful trip to New York. Many engagement presents are being sent east to Miss Calhoun, and her wedding will be an event of the early summer.

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SCHILLING-HAMILTON WEDDING DATE SET.

The wedding of Rudolph Schilling and Miss Alexandra Hamilton has been set for March 6, and will take place at the home of the bride in San Francisco. Miss Hamilton is another bride-elect who has received very beautiful engagement gifts, among the latter being a lovely pearl necklace from the A. Schillings. The bride-elect is one of the most beautiful girls of the San Francisco smart set and is very popular across the bay. The young people are planning to establish their permanent home in San Francisco.

THE MEDDLER.

-:- SOCIETY -:-

MISS MARTHA VAUGHAN, daughter of Rev. W. E. Vaughan of Alameda, announced her engagement yesterday to Ford E. Samuel, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Samuel, well known in the Encinal City. The news was told at a tea given by Miss Alice Davis yesterday.

The bride-elect is a very charming girl and has a wide friendship circle about the bay. Young Samuel was a student in Stanford University and has spent several years in travel gathering data for his lectures. He has given a number of travel talks before Ebell and Adelphian Clubs. His mother was formerly president of the latter club. The wedding will be some time late in the year.

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BRIDGE PARTY YESTERDAY.

Miss Lorraine Jordan was hostess yesterday at her home in Alameda, entertaining at a prettily appointed bridge party for Mrs. George Green and Miss Katherine Phelps, both of whom are Eastern visitors, and Miss Sue Harrold, who is being so much entertained.

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COMPLIMENTARY LUNCHEON.

Miss Ethel Johnson, fiancee of Dr. Elmer Brinkerhoff, was the motif for an elaborate luncheon yesterday at which Miss Louise Entz was also made the honored guest by Miss Charlotte Playter. About twenty guests gathered at the flower-laden table where the decorations were in white and gold.

Since the announcement of her engagement early in the new year, Miss Johnson has been made the recipient of many delightful complimentary affairs, one of which was the recent dinner party given by Dr. and Mrs. G. Erwin Brinkerhoff at their Piedmont home. The affair was also in the nature of a birthday celebration for the bridegroom-to-be, with covers laid for twelve.

Miss Johnson is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Johnson of East Oakland. Dr. Brinkerhoff is an Eastern man and immediately after his graduation was for a time associated with his brother, but now has established offices for himself in Oakland. No date has as yet been named for the wedding.

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RETURNS HOME.

Mrs. Harry Taylor, who has been spending many months in the East, returned home last evening and is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Charles J. Woodbury.

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DANCE LAST NIGHT.

Mrs. Henry W. Taylor gave a dance at the Claremont Club last night in honor of her daughter, Miss Bernice Taylor. About one hundred friends of the latter, many of whom are members of the senior class of Miss Head's school, attended.

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LEAP YEAR DINNER DANCE.

The Winter Cotillion, which meets at the Home Club, will give a leap year dinner dance tonight. A number of guests have been invited for the dinner and dance. Among the guests invited are: Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Davis, Dr. and Mrs. Jan Don Ball, Mrs. Wallace A. Houts, Dr. Herbert Boyes, Mrs. Francis R. Musser, Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dozier, Mr. and Mrs. Harper, Bedford Boyes.

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BALL IN SAN FRANCISCO.

The Bachelors and Benedicts ball last night in San Francisco was a lively affair. The ball room of the Fairmont was decked in yellow acacia boughs, whose trees being used against the pillars and massed at the windows, contrasting attractively with the old gold tapestries. Among the hostesses who gave dinners preceding the dance were Miss Marion Stone who had as her guests: Miss Marguerite Doe, Miss Madeline Clay, Miss Harriet Stone, Miss Isabel McLaughlin, Miss Lilliam Van Vorst, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Somers, Harold Barnard, Remi Chabot, Warren Harrold, Joseph Hutchinson, Jack Geary, Dan Volkmann, Marie Knight, Herbert Schmidt, Walter Hush.

Miss Stone's gown was of green chiffon made over pink satin with crystal beads and fringe which was very becoming to her blonde type of beauty.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Magee of Oakland entertained at another dinner and Mr. and Mrs. James L. Flood of Menlo had the gray room, where they had one of the largest dinner parties of the evening, with the Menlo and Burlingame society contingent as their guests.

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ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT.

The entertainment to be given tonight by the Franklin School Mothers' Club promises to be of keen interest and will be largely attended.

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DINNER TONIGHT.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hubbard will be hosts this evening at a dinner at their Vernon Heights home. The guests of honor will be Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Bull. The guests will be Dr. and Mrs. Percy Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stolp, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Barnhardt, Mrs. Henry Miles Bull, Dr. Herbert Boyes.

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DANCE TONIGHT.

Tonight the Saturday Night Club will give its second dance in Ebell Hall. The personnel of the club includes many Oakland folk as well as members of the college set.

A number of dinners will precede the dance.

Among the patronesses are: Mrs. Herbert Lincoln Breed, Mrs. William Hume, Mrs. Henry Milds Bull, Mrs. Warren Cheney, Mrs. J. F. Collom, Mrs. William Waddell, Mrs. William Halbert, Mrs. James Macliso, Mrs. Alexander Stewart and one or two others.

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LEFT FOR LOS ANGELES.

Mrs. H. J. Eddo of 1073 Eighth street left yesterday for Los Angeles where she will spend a fortnight as the guest of Mrs. William Hanson of that city.

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SURPRISE PARTY.

A surprise party was tendered to William McKim last evening.

Among those who attended were: Miss Bernice White, Miss Mary Holmes, Miss Florence Fink, Miss Mabel Jones, Miss Ella Dealy, Irene Teague, Alma White, Anna Moran, Geraldine Jackson, William McKim, W. Wise, Irving Murray, Charles Fink, Phil Moran, Albert Jones, Ray Simmons, Thomas Richards.

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TEA IN SAN FRANCISCO.

A group of local folk crossed the bay today to attend the tea in honor of Mrs. William Lamartine Breyfogle which her nieces, Miss Mabel and Miss Franc Pierce gave today. All four are former Oaklanders and well known in local society circles. For many years Mrs. Breyfogle, then Mrs. Charles Pierce, lived here, as also did the "Pierce girls," the Frank W. Pierce home on Harrison street being one of the most hospitable in the city. The marriage of Mrs. Pierce to Dr. Breyfogle, distinguished physician, scholar and traveler, this winter was of wide interest to Oakland society. The couple are stopping at the Palace Hotel, where they will remain for some weeks before returning east. Mrs. John Ruess, the sister of Mrs. Breyfogle, is making her home in Berkeley.

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BRILLIANT LUNCHEON.

The luncheon yesterday given by Mrs. A. A. Moore Jr. was a beautiful affair enjoyed by half a hundred fashionably attired women who gathered at the charmingly decked tables, at what was one of the most delightful affairs of the season.

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TWO WARRANTS ARE ISSUED FOR 'SIR HARRY'

PARENTS OF LATEST WIFE SEEK ARREST OF 'DOCTOR'

PORTLAND DATE ON GIRL'S LETTER

Aunt in Gary Hears From Anna Milbrath; May Be in Canada.

Police Search for Women Who Passed as Wife and the Mother-in-Law.

Rivaling world-famous cases that have gone into the records of criminal history for a score or more years is the tangled state of affairs left in this vicinity for the Oakland police and the state authorities to untangle. "Dr." Milton Abraham-Chadwick-Cooper who, in spite of a long prison record and numerous operations under many aliases, succeeded in weaving a web that all but held every victim.

This morning Mr. and Mrs. Milbrath appeared before City Prosecuting Attorney Ezra Decoto and swore out warrants for the arrest of Abraham on two charges. One was sworn to by Herman Milbrath charging bigamy and naming Mrs. Belvia Chadwick as another wife of Abraham. The other was sworn to by Mrs. Augusta Milbrath and charged the fugitive of obtaining money under false pretenses. Each day brings with it additional tales of narrow escapes from the clutches of the wiley ex-convict and masquerading "doctor." Those who through some seeming incident of good fortune disentangled themselves are being congratulated while others less fortunate are subjects of condolence on the part of their friends.

Among those who received the final and most crushing blow at the hands of "Doctor Abraham" are Mr. and Mrs. Herman S. Milbrath, of 1002 Sixty-third street, the parents of Miss Anna Bertha Milbrath, the student nurse of St. Anthony's Hospital who was inveigled into a marriage ceremony by the Abraham-Chadwick-Cooper on last Friday morning within an hour after he had been at the feet of Miss Daisy Clim, head nurse at the same institution, imploring her to become his wife.

He turned from Miss Clim with tears in his eyes and enjoining the services of a newly-made friendship, went to the office of the county clerk where he obtained a license to wed Miss Milbrath.

RECORD WITHHELD.

At the request of the friend, Deputy Clerk Andrew J. Johnstone, filled out the necessary blanks and made out the license certificate. He entered the affidavit of the contracting parties on a loose-leaf blank instead of in the counter register and through that procedure the record of the matter was kept secret until late yesterday when County Recorder Bacon discovered that the vital statistics blank had been returned to his office unaccompanied by the license. He was therefore unable to record same and pigeonholed the paper pending the arrival of the license. It was overlooked until yesterday when the subject was called to his attention and a search made.

It was then definitely settled that the couple, so far as the proceedings were concerned had been legally married by the Rev. Edward Lamb Parsons of St. Mark's church in Berkeley. The papers had not been forged but at the conclusion of the ceremony "Dr. Abraham" said that he would take the license with him which he did. Its destruction by him would more than likely ensue. Hence there will be no record made of the ceremony in the county offices, unless the young woman should return and obtain a duplicate of the license.

Fears are maintained for the safety of the sixth bigamous bride of the man. A telegram received today by Mrs. Milbrath from Mrs. Serena Dickmeyer of Gary, Indiana, an aunt of Miss Daisy Milbrath, stated that she had received a postcard from her niece announcing the marriage and saying that she and her husband were on their way to Europe. It is believed by the police that Abraham was heading for British Columbia.

On February 6 shortly after the "doctor" had taken up his abode with the family he mulcted Mrs. Milbrath out of $850 and on the morning of the wedding he got $150 more giving in return a fictitious promissory note for $2000. He told the woman that she could keep the balance.

'FEARED' TO CASH IT.

He had a draft for 3000 pounds he said but declared that Miss Daisy Clim, the other nurse at St. Anthony's had filed a suit against him for damages and that he was afraid to cash it as it might be attached at the bank. Detectives were watching him, he told the family and for that reason he desired that the ceremony be as quiet as possible.

In spite of his excuses, his uneasiness and apparent discrepances, neither of the parents doubted his motives. The marriage was performed and the bride left with her elaborate trousseau which had been purchased by the mother at an expense of several hundred dollars.

In an automobile the pair were taken to the Southern Pacific mole saying that they would board the Shasta Limited on their way north and to England. Whether they continued in that direction has not been given out by Captain of Inspectors W. H. Petersen who is closely following the case with Inspectors Hodgkins and Gallagher.

It is considered a significant fact that the warrants issued this morning were drawn in a manner that they can be used for extradition purposes and from all reports the couple will undoubtedly be taken into custody in a short time.

It developed yesterday that Abraham accompanied by the woman known as Mrs. Strowbridge, his mother-in-law, attempted to cash a 300 pound draft at the Italian Popular bank Eighth and Broadway about two months ago but the draft was of such a suspicious nature that

ANNA MILBRATH, who was the victim of a bogus marriage with "Dr. Milton Abraham."

G. Ghiglieri, the manager called the attention of Vice-president F. N. Belgrano to the matter and he refused to consider the proposition. It is believed that the draft was later raised to 3000 pounds and is the one later handed to the officers of the Central National Bank.

JUST MISSED HIM.

At the time Abraham visited the bank with Dr. M. M. Enos, Attorney R. M. Fitzgerald, a former state prison director was in the vicinity. Abraham had left but a few moments when Fitzgerald approached President J. F. Carlston of the bank who held in his hands the spurious draft. The two men discussed the matter. It was a narrow escape for Abraham. Attorney Fitzgerald, through his former office had been closely identified with the convict Chadwick during the latter's term in San Quentin.

The suave manner of his love making is shown in the letters that Abraham wrote to Miss Clim. One of them is as follows:

FRUITVALE, Cal., January 7, 1912.—Dear Miss Clim: It has been said by some of our most eminent authorities that man cannot bestow anything more precious or honorable upon woman than his abiding affection. I add to this, however, and assert that there is nothing more holy or sacred than a woman's love. Some day I hope to ask this boon of you.

"But it is only right that you should know something of me either by time to make closer personal observation or by reference—or both. Should you care to inquire I offer the Citizens' Bank of Fruitvale as to my business integrity, and the Grand Lodge of Masonry as to my moral and social standing. The latter have known me from boyhood, the former for several years. Of course time and your own dear heart can determine best of all, and thus I leave this most sacred problem in your hands.

"In closing permit me to say that in all the thirty-nine years of my life no woman has ever drawn from me more than ordinary kindness and civility. But from the second day of our acquaintance my heart seemed to wrap itself around your's. I know not the how or the why thereof, simply thank God and leave you to decide, and may he in his divine wisdom give you the grace to decide right. Sincerely yours,

"MILTON ABRAHAM, M. D., M. C. R. S.

"P. S.—I will be in the office at 2:30 o'clock and will be happy to have you call me up."

SEEK WOMEN.

While search is being made for Mrs. Daisy Milbreth and her bigamous husband in the north, the police are endeavoring to clear up the mystery surrounding the disappearance of the man's other wife and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Strowbridge, who lived at 1324 Liese avenue, Fruitvale.

That the woman was an accomplice of the ex-convict is believed by the police through her connections with several attempts made by Abraham to defraud the Italian-Popular Bank.

It is also pointed out that at the time of the appearance in Oakland of "Dr Abraham," the family was here and living at 249 Eighth avenue, East Oakland, in a home already established for him.

The disappearance of this woman, together with the facts pertaining to the "doctor's" leaving the city, are suspicious circumstances in the case.

Chief Deputy County Clerk A. E. Johnstone issued the license that permitted Dr Milton Abraham, alias Sir Harry Westwood Cooper to marry Miss Bertha Milbrath. This Johnsone admitted today. The affidavit was sent February 8. It was a loose leaf document and was pasted into the record book this afternoon, where it now appears among the other licenses issued on that date. Johnstone's cash book accounts for the $5 paid by Abraham for the license and the chief deputy's explanation of why he held the license out of the record is that he thought he was doing a good man a favor.

"Miss Milbrath was not present at the time I issued the marriage license," said Chief Deputy Johnstone this morning. "On the evening of February 7 I was introduced to Dr. Abraham at the Saddle Rock, where I was taking dinner, by Pasqual Kisich, proprietor of the place. The three of us talked in a social way for nearly an hour and Abraham bought a bottle of wine. About the time I was leaving the restaurant Kisich, if I remember correctly, informed me that Abraham was going to get married and asked me if there was any chance for him to keep the issuance of the license a secret for a few days.

"At this juncture Abraham broke in with the explanation that the young lady was an orphan and that because there had recently been another death in her family she was very desirous of keeping the marriage a secret for a few days, anyway. Kisich urged me to do the favor for Abraham and I agreed to hold the license out of the record for two or three days.

LICENSE ISSUED.

"The next morning—February 8—Dr. Abraham and Kisich called on me at the office of the County Clerk. They came to my private desk and there the license was issued on a loose leaf blank. If Miss Milbrath accompanied the doctor to the Hall of Records I did not see her. Abraham gave me all the vital statistics concerning himself and the young lady that are required by law, signed the affidavit, paid for the license and went away with Kisich.

"It was my intention when I issued the license to keep the matter a secret only a couple or three days—just long enough to give the couple time to get married—and then put it in its proper place in the current record. Then the matter slipped out of mind entirely and it was not until late yesterday, when the newspaper men began inquiries into this phase of Abraham's marriage, that I recalled the affidavit. I immediately got it out of its seclusion and had it pasted in the book. Then I recalled that about February 10 or 11 I instructed one of the deputies to paste the affidavit in the book, but he, too, evidently forgot to do so."

The affidavit gives Dr. Abraham's age as 34 and Miss Milbrath's as 25 years. Abraham's residence is given as Oakland.

Several days ago County Recorder Bacon received by mail from the Rev. Edward Lamb Parsons, rector of the fashionable St Mark's Episcopal church of Berkeley, who married Abraham and Miss Milbrath, the vital statistics that Chief Deputy County Clerk Johnstone issued with the license, but as the marriage license with the pastor's return of the ceremony performed, did not accompany it he simply pigeon-holed the statistics to wait for the license.

Faithful Dog Saves Life of His Master

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Feb. 17.—To Fitz, his faithful dog, Fred Hayworth, a cistern cleaner, owes his life. Hayworth was cleaning a cistern today when he lost his balance and fell in. Missing his master Fitz set up a great barking, running back and forth in front of the cistern. The dog's continual bark attracted the attention of the firemen in a station half a block away and Hayworth's plight was discovered. He was pulled out and revived.

CAMPAIGN TO BE STARTED HERE

Men and Religion Forward Movement to Be Brought to Oakland.

Bible Study Rally Will Be Held at First Congregational Church.

Arrangements have been definitely made for the great campaign which is to take place on this side of the bay in connection with the Men and Religion Forward Movement. Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda are to have a week's visit from the world-renowned leaders immediately following the campaign in San Francisco.

The promoter and campaign leader of the Men and Religion Movement, in the person of Fred B. Smith, will be in Oakland next week, and will conduct two meetings in the First Congregational church on Washington's Birthday, Thursday, February 22d. Smith will meet all the pastors at 10 a. m. and all the laymen and committeemen an hour later.

Fred B. Smith is the religious work secretary of the international committee, and is renowned all over the world as the greatest speaker to men. Wherever he has been in the United States in connection with this campaign, thousands have flocked to hear him, and, in many instances hundreds have been turned away. Smith will conduct a great mass meeting for men at the noon hour in San Francisco on Friday.

BIBLE STUDY RALLY.

The Bible study committee of the Greater San Francisco campaign has arranged for a great Bible study rally to be held in the First Congregational church next Friday at 7.30, when the chief speaker will be Bishop W. F. Nichols. Prof Hermes and Mr N. Jacks will also speak.

The campaign proper will open in Oakland on Sunday afternoon, March 3, when Raymond Robbins will address a great mass meeting for men in the First Congregational church at 3 p. m. Robbins is an author and philanthropist of world-wide fame, who gave up the comforts that a fortune could bring in order to live in a Chicago tenement.

On Monday, March 4, the great opening banquet of the crusade will be held in Scottish Rite hall. It is anticipated six hundred men will greet the toastmaster, and every member of the team of experts will speak.

Right throughout the succeeding week, institutes will be conducted by five experts on boys' work, social service, Bible study, missions and evangelism. Succeedings these institutes, which will be held in the First Congregational and First Methodist churches, five platform meetings will be held at various points, to which all men are invited. The culminating meetings of the campaign will be held on Sunday, March 10, by three men's gatherings.

It is anticipated the Oakland campaign will result in the complete vitalization of all the Christian forces of the city.

LIFE SAVERS FIGHT WAVES FOR HOUR

Boat Is Swamped While on the Way to Fishing Tug in Distress.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Captain Norman Nelson with his crew of eight men from the Golden Gate life saving station battled with the waves for more than an hour yesterday in an effort to save the fishing tug U. S. Grant, which had ventured too near the breakers.

The men started out at 3 o'clock in the afternoon in answer to distress signals which were sounded three miles south of the Cliff House. The large surf boat was launched, but as the lifeboat was within a few yards of the outer breakers a big wave broke over it and completely capsized the craft. The men were thrown out and the oars lost. This did not discourage them, for they swam back, righted the boat and started again.

They were hardly on their way when another wave swamped them. The men, although equipped with life belts, did not come to the surface so quickly this time, and Ed Erlandson and S. Gilje were nearly helpless.

Captain Nealson rigged Ed Lowbert with a life line and sent him to rescue the two drifting men. Both men were unconscious, but were revived at the Park hospital.

In the meantime the tug that caused the trouble was being towed in by the Christopher, the Farragut and the Pedro Costa.

Took Strychnine in Place of Genuine Dose

Mother by Mistake Gives Her Daughter Poison and Death Follows.

PASADENA, Feb. 17.—Going home from a church social with a severe cold last night, Agnes Johnsein, the 19-year-old daughter of a building contractor, took a large dose of strychnine which her mother had mistaken for quinine and died early today. Miss Johnsein, who was a choir singer of note, and prominent socially, was engaged to be married at an early date to Earl Ford, with whom she had attended the church affair.

SOCIAL DUST RAISED BY DANCE

Mothers' Club Affair Included Some and Excluded Great Many More.

Now There Comes Wail Because Admissions Were Charged to Hall.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—Heartburnings are the sequel of the dance given last night by the Haight School Mothers' Club in the fine new Haight school hall. The new Haight and Washington schools are equipped with splendid halls which are in much demand for lectures and similar affairs. Admittance fees cannot be charged as no rent is paid for the use of the hall. But an exception was made when the new Haight School Mothers' Club, which is raising funds to buy a stereopticon outfit for the school, planned an elaborate ball and card party. The use of the hall was easily secured and invitations were issued. But the invitations were not spread broadcast. They were confined to a carefully censored list. So eagerly were the invitations sought that the managers requested a few days ago that all persons having invitations which were not going to be used to return them in order to fill waiting requests for tickets.

The ball was a great social success. Those who did not care to join in the grand march and the following carefully conducted list of dances were afforded an opportunity to play cards. Most of Alameda's leading society people were present. But there were some social lights and some lesser luminaries in the social world who desired to attend, but could not secure the coveted invitations and so had to stay away. The invitations were sold for twenty-five cents a ticket, but not to everybody. The ticket purchasers had to have a social voucher or excellent credentials.

COMPLAINTS BEGIN.

Now the heartburnings felt chiefly among those who, explain fully and succinctly that they had no intention of going to the ball, and wouldn't have gone if the women managers had dropped to their knees and prayed for their presence. But, they explain, Haight school hall is a public hall, it was built by the taxpayers. The ball was designed, they say, for money making, and therefore the management had no right to bar out anyone who wished to attend, regardless of special invitation or otherwise. Mrs. Annie Theobald, one of the managers, says:

"Of course we had a right to charge and to limit the invitations. It was planned as a select social affair and we asked the people whom we wished to attend. We didn't make much money, for the expense was heavy, but we gave a very successful dance and made such a social success out of it that we expect to give others later on. I did not hear of anyone complaining about lack of invitation or inability to attend."

The hall was beautifully decorated in palms and other tropical plants, electrical effects being interwoven with the greenery and being turned on and off with a twinkling effect that excited great admiration.

Several musical features, unscheduled, were introduced during the evening, one of the most pleasing of these being the singing of "Baby" Clinchard, who rendered several selections, accompanied by the orchestra. During the rendition of her numbers a vari-colored spot light was kept at play upon the child.

PIANO SELECTIONS.

Miss Zella Cook, one of the society buds of Alameda county, favored the assemblage with several piano selections, and vocal selections by Mrs. C. Couchet were also given.

Card games for those who did not care to dance were provided in rooms adjacent to the ballroom, and many handsome prizes were awarded to the lucky players. Light refreshments were served during the evening.

Another feature of the dance and entertainment was an Oriental fortune telling booth, presided over by Mrs. Minnie Deems, a professional clairvoyant. Past, present and future were laid bare to the many patrons of the booth anxious for a peep into the future.

Following is a list of the officers who had charge of the dance:

President, Mrs. H. Hauch; decorating committee, Mrs. A. K. Theobald (chairman), Mrs. E. Mayrisch, Mrs. E. Farrar; refreshment and finance, Mrs. J. M. Levy (chairman), Mrs. Lomont, Mrs. Mayrisch; card room, Mrs. C. F. Peterson; forunte telling, Mrs. Minnie Deems; floor manager, J. S. Daveler; floor committee, B. W. Theobald, Ollie Fletter, Halvor Hauch, H. Bonham and Clyde Hildreth.

Superintendent of Schools Will C. Wood and Principal George Furbish of the Haight school were advisory managers.

CLOUDS OVERCOME POLICE AND FIREMEN

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—The members of the police and fire department, although in the habit of working in all kinds of weather, nevertheless rebelled at the cloudy aspect of the heavens and have requested Chiefs White and Murphy that they be not taken on the ten-mile hike which had been planned for tomorrow morning. Accordingly a postponement has been ordered until such time as there is a prospect of a brighter day.

ARMED MEN JAILED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 17.—Patrolman Dowell of the Bush street station arrested Ben Bowen and Leon Emmon early this morning. Bowen carried a revolver and Emmons a blackjack. Both were booked for carrying concealed weapons.

JUAREZ HEARS FROM OUTER WORLD

Railroad Repaired and News of Insurrection Comes From Interior.

Chihuahua Legislature to Buy Up $6,000,000 Land for People.

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 17.—The railroad south out of Juarez to Casas Grandes—the Mexican Northwestern—was repaired today and a train came into Juarez from Casas Grandes. The railroad has been cut since the Juarez mutiny, nearly three weks ago.

Emiliano Enrique, appointed mayor of Juarez by the governor of Chihuahua, arrived today to replace Santiago Mestas, elected by the mutineers recently. Mestas says he will surrender the office.

Reports in Juarez today are that Guerrero, captured Thursday by rebels and reported last night as having been retaken, is still in rebel hands. The Chihuahua legislature has passed an emergency measure authorizing governor Gonzales to borrow $6,000,000 to buy up lands to be sold to the people on easy payments.

TOO BUSY CABBY MUST PAY FINE

Also Compelled to Return the Money to Woman Whom He Caused to Faint.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Miss Margaret Grave of Portland, Oregon, who, on her way to visit a sick relative, had her purse taken from her at the pier at this city, when she fainted during the course of an argument, was given her money back in Judge Shortall's court this morning.

Fred Sattler, a cab driver, who was held responsible for Miss Grave's situation by the court, was the one who paid her over the coin and he was also sentenced to pay a fine of $30 or serve 30 days in the county jail.

As Miss Graves left the Steamer Roanoke on February 10, she was seized upon by Sattler who dragged her to his cab. She was protesting and W. J. Wright of Los Angeles and F. C. Smith, fellow passengers, went to her aid. During the excitement she fainted and her purse was taken.

$220,000 OFFERED FOR BANK ASSETS

Receiver Frank J. Symmes Recommends That Sale Be Confirmed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Frank J. Symmes, receiver of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, received an offer late last night of $220,000 for the assets of the defunct bank, excluding the real estate, the Western Pacific stock and the cash on hand. This offer was presented to Superior Judge Seawell this morning, together with a certified check of 10 per cent of the purchase price.

The offer expires at 5 o'clock Monday and Symmes has made a recommendation that it be accepted, as he believes it the best so far made. The real estate, valued at about $100,000, the cash on hand, which amounts approximately to $100,000, and the Western Pacific bonds are considered the cream of the assets of the institution.

BITTER ATTACK MADE ON HOBSON

Hay and Fitzgerald Assail the Former Hero on Floor of House.

Charge Him With Neglecting Duties Assigned Him by People.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—A bitter personal attack on Representative Richmond P. Hobson was made on the floor of the House today by two of his Democratic colleagues, Representative Hay of Virginia, chairman of the military affairs committee, and Representative Fitzgerald of New York, chairman of the appropriations committee.

Remarks inserted in the Congressional Record, but not uttered on the floor, directed against these two members, formed the basis for the attack. Hay charged Hobson with having acted in a "cowardly way," and Fitzgerald declared Hobson devoted more time to the Chautauqua lecture platform than to attending sessions of the House.

Fitzgerald told the House that he had called at Hobson's office to request him to be present to hear personally the attack he proposed to make upon him, but Hobson had left the city.

EXPLAINS ABSENCE.

"The gentleman from Alabama explained his absence by saying he had a message to deliver to the people," said Fitzgerald. "If he chooses to accept his compensation as a representative and spend his time delivering messages for pay from the Chautauqua platform, that is his privilege. It is my opinion that he would better serve the country by attending to his duties here."

Representative Hay said he felt called upon to repudiate on behalf of the military affairs committee the "cowardly insinuations" contained in Representative Hobson's criticism of the army reorganization scheme.

'WETS' AND 'DRYS' IN HOT CONTEST

Factions Have Bitter Encounter Before Senate Committee on Judiciary.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The "wets" and the "drys" were hotly engaged at the capitol today over the question of prohibiting the shipment of liquor into states where its sale is barred. Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, of Maine, president of the National W. C. T. U., appeared with the legislative representatives and the officers of that organization, while a delegation of German-American men and women, led by Representative Bartholdt of Missouri, opposed the legislation. The hearing was before the Senate committee on judiciary.

Chairman Nelson of the sub-committee conducting the hearing, observed that while he was in London he saw women in front of the bars there drinking whiskey and gin along with the men, "just like hoboes," a condition he never saw in this country.

Neither committee took any action.

'White Rats' Founder Dies in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17.—George Fuller Golden, founder of the "White Rats," a theatrical organization, died at his home here early today. Funeral arrangements will await word from friends in New York.

Golden was well known in England, where he enjoyed the longest continuous run of any American actor up to that time and appeared before the king and queen.

Golden has been ill almost continually during his two years' residence here. He leaves a wife and four children.

Sunday Tribune Better Than Ever Tomorrow

Tomorrow will see another big edition of THE SUNDAY TRIBUNE, with its many features and its unrivaled news service. "Bigger and Better," the slogan of the best thing in Alameda county, will count more than ever. Look at these features:

The International News Service covers the world for THE SUNDAY TRIBUNE, and fairly porus a budget of news into this office every Saturday night. A large corps of efficient reporters and correspondents are sent everywhere in Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley, surrounding towns and villages to gather in news.

Suzette contributes a snappy page of sidelights on local society; experts relate the doings in the sport world; Lillian Russell contributes a page of beauty talks, illustrated in color; colored page also tells of fashion's latest dictates; three pages of pictured and written news from foreign sources are gathered by world-famous experts of the International News Service; two pages of theatricals are here, commenting on persons and things on Oakland's stage, four pages of comics in colors, a delight for the "kids"; business and politics reviewed by students of both and a score of other features.

BERKELEY AND ALAMEDA

GOSSIP OF STUDENTS AND RESIDENTS IN UNIVERSITY TOWN

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL HAPPENINGS OF DAY IN THE ISLAND CITY

TRACTION CO. TO IMPROVE SERVICE

Will Run More Cars During Rush Hours Between Oakland and Alameda.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—The council company held a brief session last night. The Encinal widening proposition was put over until a special meeting next Friday night. It was expected that Dr. T. P. Tisdale would be named for the health board vacancy, but no action was taken. The letter of former Mayor E. K. Taylor, attacking the Alameda traffic ordinance, was filed without reading.

Webster street residents, who raised a special fund a few years ago to install a special system of arc electric lights, are now anxious to have the boulevard light in place of the out-of-date light. As Webster street is paved, the cost will be something more than the cost of installing the electroliers on macadamized streets. The city treasurer was instructed to return to the property owners in electrolier district No. 1 $340 overcharge paid into the city treasury in advance when the money was collected at the rate of 25 cents per front property foot. The actual cost was but 22½ cents per foot.

J. T. Hardin complained of the roof headlights and the whistles on the electric trains. Hardin was told that the new style headlight, ordered several weeks ago from the East, were expected this coming week and would be immediately substituted for the small roof light now in use. As to the whistling, Hardin was told that most residents were well satisfied with the efforts of the railroad to avoid accidents by whistling at all crossings, and that the whistling would continue.

The slickens being pumped by the United Dredgers Company is still being washed up on the south side bathing beaches and the dredging company will either have to change its method of discharging the slickens or stop pumping.

Powell Brothers notified the council that bulkheads, including stairs to the beach, had been completed at the foot of Lafayette and Cedar streets.

T. H. Varney, the billboard owner, reported that billboards all over Alameda had been lowered to the height prescribed by the council and that no further conflict between Varney and the city would ensue.

IS LARGE CAR.

The Oakland Traction Company reported that the company had but twenty cars of the "225" style, which were all needed for the Richmond line, and could not be diverted to the Alameda lines. The "225" type is a huge car with seats arranged crosswise instead of lengthwise. The company reported that the congestion at Fourteenth and Washington streets, Oakland, caused principally by bridge delays and the use of the P-A-Y-E cars, had been effectively relieved through using the switch track at the Oakland terminus and letting the waiting passengers aboard the cars without first paying their fares, the conductor collecting later while the car waits on the switch. The company also announced that more cars would be operated between Alameda and Oakland during the rush hours night and morning and during the theater hours. The council had suggested the use of two-car trains like the Twelfth street service, but the company said the cost was $800 per car for special equipment to enable cars to be coupled in trains and that individual cars would prove cheaper and more effective for improving the service.

The Venak stables on Encinal avenue, about which sanitary complaint was made, were reported in good condition by the council health committee.

WOMEN NAMED TO REGISTER VOTERS

County Clerk Cook Appoints Special Deputies for Alameda.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—Unterrified by the mystic danger of the number "13," thirteen Alameda women have been appointed special registration deputies to help along the registering in Alameda. They were named by County Clerk John P. Cook at the request of the Alameda Civic Center and will start active work next week. Not only are they expected to register the total feminine voting strength of Alameda, estimated at about 1000, but they will probably pay considerable attention to the unregistered men voters, at least to those men who favor women suffrage.

The registration in this city was fairly started this week, the county clerk sending a special corps of deputies into the Alameda field for four days. About 2000 men and women registered out of an estimated voting strength of 10,000. The women deputies named by the county clerk are:

Mrs. H. J. Clark, Mrs. L. H. Sharp, Mrs. A. R. Weeks, Mrs. J. G. Kearney, Miss Elizabeth Young, Mrs. F. P. Leonard, Miss Mary McLean, Mrs. L. L. Torrey, Mrs. J. P. Forbes, Mrs. W. E. Haynes, Miss Dora B. Henning, Mrs. H. A. Cross and Mrs. T. H. Speddy.

ALAMEDA BUSINESS MAN PASSES AWAY

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—John Herman Eggers, for many years a resident of this city, and well known here, died at his residence, 2002 San Jose avenue, last night, following an illness of only a few days' duration. Eggers had for the past six years conducted a meat market and store at Willow station.

He is survived by a widow, Ann Eggers, and five children, Alice M., Edward D., George, John H. Jr. and Gladys Eggers. Miss Alice Eggers only lately returned from a European trip. She is at present employed as instructor of music in the Modesto schools, and has been notified of the death of her father.

BERKELEY GETS FIRST WOMAN DEP. REGISTRAR

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—Mrs. Walter Brown, a prominent member of Berkeley Center of the California Civic League, is the first woman deputy registrar to be appointed in Berkeley. She took the oath of office yesterday. Mrs. Brown's appointment followed a petition of the civic organization, asking that ten deputies be appointed from its membership. Four will be appointed instead of ten.

ADDRESS ON KOREA.

ALBANY, Feb. 17.—An address on Korea will be given on Tuesday afternoon, February 20 at the Marin Avenue Presbyterian church by Mrs. Eva Brand Dougherty, a missionary of the Woman's Society in that land. The meeting will be held at two o'clock.

W. B. Cullinan, the pastor of the Albany church, will preach on Sunday evening at the Claremont church in Berkeley, one block west of College on Alcatraz.

YOUTH MAKES ISLAND.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Feb. 17.—Engineering students of the university will leave on an inspection tour of Mare Island navy yard today.

LEAVES MEXICO DURING LATEST REBEL UPRISING

HARRY KASSEBAUM.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—Harry Kassebaum, Alameda high school graduate, amateur comic opera singer and former Alameda real estate broker, reached Alameda yesterday from Mexico after an exciting stay of several months in the southern republic. His plans to locate permanetnly in Mexico were interfered with by the unsettled condition of the country, actual rebellion still being waged in several sections of Mexico.

On his way from Mexico city to Torreon, the train on which Kassebaum was traveling was held up by Mexican revolutionists, who halted the train by firing a volley at the engine. The revolutionists appeared to be in charge of a Seminole Indian who spoke good English. The Seminole explained that the passengers would not be injured, and then the rebels made a search for weapons, confiscating all pistols they found on the passengers for use in the rebel campaign. Two hours after the train passed over a steel bridge at Picadias the bridge Seminole Indian told Kassebaum that he only awaited an opportunity to draw his knife across the throat of President Madero. He said that Madero had failed to give him a tract of land promised for the Indian's services in the Madero rebellion.

Kassebaum expected to return to the United States by way of Juarez but forty railroad bridges between Juarez and his starting point had been destroyed and he was compelled to travel by way of Eagles Pass and San Pedro.

Had the train on which Kassebaum was traveling not crossed the Picadias bridge before the bridge was blown up, the Alamedan would have had a hundred mile tramp in front of him before again reaching a railroad point.

Kassebaum is of the opinion that Madero is not made of sufficiently stern stuff to govern Mexico in its present troublous condition. He believes that American intervention will be necessary to restore peace but says that intervention at present would be the signal for frightful and costly reprisals by Mexicans on all Americans and American interests in Mexico.

BOOSTERS HOLD LARGE MEETING

Annexed District Association to Have Barbecue and a Baseball Team.

The Annexed District Boosters' Club held a large meeting at their quarters, Forty-fifth and East Fourteenth street for the purpose of enlarging membership, preparing a barbecue and organizing a baseball team. The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Tony Mazziotte, who announced the purpose of the meeting and the following committees were named to look after matters:

Barbecue committee, William J. Baccus, Lee Garden, Frank J. Blackburn, George B. Gross, Charles J. Eldracher, Arthur Suarez, Tony Mazziotte, James T. McHean, Jose Alonso.

Baseball committee, Thomas Carroll, Joe Brittos.

It is proposed to enlarge the club headquarters and install apparatus for the amusement and comfort of its members. To this end arrangements are being made to purchase a pool table and reading material. A suitable gymnasium will add much interest to the meeting place.

The officers are as follows: President, Tony Mazziotte; vice-president, W. J. Downey; treasurer, Lee Garden; secretary, Charles J. Eldracher; recording secretary, H. Huber; sergeant-at-arms, A. G. Lyttrell.

Executive committee, Arthur Suarez, Inkman, J. J. Lawrence, John Tony, W. J. Downey, Lee Carden, Charles Mitchell, Charles J. Eldracher.

HARBOR COMMISSION IN SPECIAL SESSION

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—The Alameda harbor commission met with Oakland and Alameda shipping men this afternoon at the Alaska Packers' plant at the north end of Paru street, to go over the present harbor line and look into proposed changes.

TO DEDICATE CHURCH.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—The dedication of the West Berkeley Methodist Episcopal church will take place on Sunday afternoon, February 25, when Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of San Francisco will preach the sermon and conduct the ceremony of dedication. The local choir will provide special music. Rev. A. Y. Skee is the pastor of the church which is located at the corner of Allston way and Byron street, one block west of San Pablo. This is the most recent of the building enterprises aided by the City Church Extension Society. The society is the oldest church in Berkeley.

WOODRUFF TO BE TENDERED FEAST

National Municipal League Secretary to Be Honored Guest in Berkeley.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—Clinton Rogers Woodruff, secretary of the National Municipal League, will be tendered a dinner at hotel Shattuck by members of the Berkeley City club and personal friends Monday evening. At the close of the banquet he will deliver a lecture at the high school auditorium on "Municipal Waste and Civil Service." The lecture will be under the auspices of the city club, of which Professor David P. Barrows is president.

The club will hold a public meeting in Unity hall March 11, at which addresses will be delivered by Mark Requa, president of the Alameda County Taxpayers' Association; Fred Searby, former grand jury foreman; and Fred Foss, supervisor from this city. County government problems will be the general topic of the evening.

REVOLUTIONARY DAUGHTERS WAR

Delegates Pass Peace Resolutions Despite Battle Among Members.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17. — The California gathering of the Daughters of the American Revolution adjourned yesterday after a three day's conclave. A protest against the legality of the continental delegates' meeting, which was refused hearing by State Regent Mrs. W. W. Stilson; a difficulty over closing up the year's financial accounts, because the treasurer wrote she "did not know the date of the conference" and was not present; the refusal of several northern chapters to recognize the conference and their failure to pay dues or send delegates; the instructing of all continental congress delegates present to cast their votes at the national congress in Washington for Mrs. Isaac N. Chapman of the Copa de Oro chapter, Alameda, for State regent—all these were happenings of the fourth annual conference, which adopted a resolution urging universal harmony, love and good will and asking that a peace statue be placed at San Pedro harbor.

TICKET GOES THROUGH.

Without a single opposing delegate present to make a protest, the ticket as scheduled went through without the slightest opposition.

Mrs. I. N. Chapman was unanimously indorsed as the conference's choice for State regent. This is a nomination, the election being held in April at the national congress.

That there will be strenuous opposition is expected. Mrs. C. Elwood Brown of California chapter, San Francisco, will, it is anticipated, be presented to the national congress as the choice of eight or more chapters which have practically withdrawn from the State conference.

Work is to be made easy for the State regent, for another officer was added to the board—a chaplain—so that hereafter a quorum may be secured either in the north or the south. Mrs. Maynard Force Thayer of Pasadena was elected State vice-regent, and other southern officers are:

Mrs. A. L. Banks, Hollywood, historian.

Miss Grace Pease of Eschscholtzia chapter, auditor.

Mrs. D. M. Hammack of Tierra Alta chapter, this city, chaplain.

NORTH ELECTS OFFICERS.

The north will have as officers:

Mrs. Grace W. Jones of Sierra chapter, Berkeley, recording secretary.

Mrs. C. W. Moores of Sequoia chapter, San Francisco, treasurer.

Mrs. J. J. Tully of Stockton, auditor.

Mrs. Chapman, if elected, will have the appointment of a corresponding secretary.

There was an electrical tensity in the air when Mrs. Stilson brought down her gavel to bring the conference to order, for it was known that a little group of chapters in the north had the previous night surprised Mrs. Harrison Purdon, vice-regent of the Eschscholtzia chapter, with a request to present a protest against the legality of the continental delegates' conference held yesterday. The letter of protest was read by Mrs. Purdon just before final adjournment.

The protest stated, among other things, that the call for the meeting of delegates to the congress was not rightfully issued. It was signed by Mary Wood Smith, delegate; Mrs. Leigh Richmond Smith, regent, Berkeley Hills chapter, by Mrs. M. C. Cole, treasurer; Mrs. Edith Bradley, regent Esperanza chapter, by R. F. Codding, corresponding secretary; Ethel C. Cooper, regent; Ivy Perkins Cerkel, by vice-regent, Tamalpais.

TREASURER IS MISSING.

Another matter which caused long discussion was the failure to be present of Mrs. J. M. Fernald, treasurer, and Mrs. R. E. Beach, northern auditor.

Mrs. Thayer, recording secretary, had received a letter and report from Mrs. Fernald saying that as she has never been notified where the State conference would be held, she would send the books to the corresponding secretary.

Mrs. Benjamin Gray Jr. of Missouri, presented a plea for California daughters to interest themselves in the forming of a national highway along the old Santa Fe trail and the marking of the same with historic tablets. Another resolution adopted dealt with the daughters' responsibility in training American citizens, both the native and the foreign born.

Reports were turned in by several of the department chairmen, but, by reason of so much discussion, regents were not permitted to read them.

An executive board meeting will be held before March 5, when Mrs. Moores the new treasurer, will return north.

PHOTO-PLAY OF ALASKA AT THE CAMERA TODAY

Life is rather primitive but none the less real in the frozen wastes of Alaska and the Klondyke gold fields. The sturdy miners interpret law according to their environment, as "The Reckoning," a motion picture story to be seen at the Camera theater today only amply illustrates. Every scene of this picture was made in Alaska, where the thermometer registered many degrees below zero and the snow drifts were deep. Aside from the beautiful scenic surroundings, the dramatic and tense situation taken from life will be long remembered.

Four other reels of exclusive first-run pictures accompanied by appropriate musical accompaniment will complete the exceptional treat in store for the picture fans who visit the Camera today.

PURSUES BURGLAR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—The noise made by a burglar awakened Theodore Kaggenbach of 991 Howard street early this morning and he sprang up to find a man leaving his room. He pursued him, attired in his night apparel, for several blocks, but the culprit got away. Kaggenbach was robbed of $18.

SECOND LIQUOR PETITION IS FILED

Voters of Berkeley May Yet Decide Question of Making City "Wet."

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—A petition to submit to the citizens of Berkeley the question of permitting the sale of liquor in sealed packages has been filed with City Clerk Walter J. Seaborn. A similar petition was prepared several weeks ago, but was turned down by the council because it lacked sufficient legal signatures.

The latest petition is signed by 1268 residents, and accompanying it is an affidavit by E. F. Hanna that 1012 of the signers are duly registered. According to the provisions of the city charter, twenty days are allowed for the examination and checking of the signatures. The latest possible date for the presentation of the amendment before the voters is May 10.

RECALL ACTION BEING PLANNED

Petitions Intended to Depose Three School Directors to Be Printed Next Week.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—Petitions for the recall of School Directors Mrs. Elinor Carlisle, Herman I. Stern and John A. Wilson are to be printed early next week and placed immediately in circulation, as a result of the directors' action in voting for the dismissal of Superintendent Frank F. Bunker when his four-year term expires July 1.

According to provisions of the charter, each voter will be supplied with an individual petition blank, which may be signed for the recall of one or all of the three directors. Candidates to succeed them must also be voted upon at the same time.

The petitions, which have been drawn up by attorneys, do not go beyond the wording suggested by the charter, stating the charges only in a general way.

Much interest has been aroused by the announcement by THE TRIBUNE yesterday that Charles B. M. Greene, former city attorney and friend of the recent Hodghead administration, is practically in charge of the legal proceedings necessary to start the recall. Associated with him in the movement are Attorneys Elmer E. Nichols, Arthur Elsten and other Good Government leaders and supporters of the former municipal regime.

A committee of citizens will meet next week to outline specific charges against the directors.

CITIZENS BOOST FLOWER FESTIVAL

All Sections of City Will Be Represented in Management of Event.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—At a citizens' meeting, with representatives present from all parts of Berkeley, Thursday evening it was the sentiment that arrangements for the spring flower festival shall be pressed to completion, and it was agreed that all residents of the city be requested to participate in the event. That the festival shall be made a magnificent success was the opinion of all who participated.

Dr. H. O. Brink was chosen chairman of the citizens' mass meeting; H. R. Sorensen, vice-chairman; P. S. Breck, secretary.

After the appointment of committees to visit several of the organizations of the community an adjournment was taken until next Wednesday evening, when another meeting will be held at the Hotel Shattuck for further consideration of the festival plans.

PRISONER FAILS IN BREAK FOR LIBERTY

Confirmed Drug User Flees From Police, But Is Soon Recaptured.

Thomas Kelleher, confirmed drug user, today made a break for liberty for the third time since he has been in custody, wrenching his arm from the grip of Patrolman Michael Moore as he was being taken from the police court down the front steps of the city hall to the prison, and running across Fourteenth street. Kelleher was recaptured by Moore at Washington and Fourteenth opposite the city hall placed in a cell in the city prison.

Kelleher had just been sentenced on the testimony of his sister that he was a confirmed user of opium, morphine and cocaine, to serve five months on the city rock pile. In the court room he disturbed the proceedings by making threats against his sister, Judge Mortimer Smith ordered him removed from the dock.

Instead of being taken down through the passage way with the prisoners to the jail, Kelleher was given in charge of Patrolman Moore to take through the city hall and down through the police station to the jail. While going down the froont steps of the hall he wrenched himself free by an almost superhuman effort and escaped. He was captured after a brief chase.

COMMITTEE TO TALK OVER BOND ISSUE

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—The council committee will hold a special meeting Wednesday night next to talk over a proposed bond issue for electric light and fire department betterments. A new building and new equipment is wanted for the electric light plant, and a new fire alarm system, auto truck and other betterments are needed for fire purposes.

SATHER BEQUEST RECEIVED BY U. C.

Gift Completed by Deeding of Property Valued at More Than Half Million.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Feb. 17.—Gifts of more than half a million dollars to the University of California have just been consummated, through the deeding of property to the university by trustees for the late Mrs. Jane K. Sather, of Oakland. For building operations at the university she gave over $250,000, and for endowments nearly $300,000.

Plans have been begun for the Sather Campanile, a lofty bell-tower, for which Mrs. Sather provided some $200,000. The Campanile will be a slender tower of white granite, 38 feet square, and rising 300 feet. In the beautiful open belfry, 250 feet above the ground, will be hung a chime of bells, for which Mrs. Sather made an additional gift of $25,000.

The bell-tower is to stand where the university flagstaff now rises, in an open space just west of the old Bacon Library. From the belfry, which will be accessible to visitors, there will be a superb view of San Francisco bay, the Golden Gate, Mount Tamalpais and the high range of the Berkeley hills, while the campanile itself will be a great landmark, visible from the cities about San Francisco bay and from ships as they enter the Golden Gate.

The money just received from Mrs. Sather's trustees provides also for the endowment of two professorships. The Jane K. Sather chair in Classical Literature and the Jane K. Sather chair in History will each have an endowment of approximately $120,000. Mrs. Sather has provided also endowment for three book funds. The income on $25,000 is to be devoted to the purchase of law books; the income on $10,000 to books in the field of the Latin and Greek classics; and the income on $12,500 to the purchase of historical works.

Besides giving the Sather Campanile and these large endowments, Mrs. Sather built also, at the Telegraph avenue entrance to the university, at a cost of $43,500, the Sather Gate, a beautiful granite and bronze structure which stands as a memorial to her husband, the late Peder Sather, long prominent in San Francisco as a banker. The total of the gifts now received from Mrs. Sather and from her trustees is $554,223.28.

CHANGE DATE OF REQUIEM CONCERT

Verdi Masterpiece to Be Given in Berkeley by Oratorio Society March 5th.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—The date of the Verdi Requiem concert to be given by the Berkeley Oratorio Society has been changed from February 20 to March 5. The chorus is now putting the finishing touches to a half-year of strenuous work, and those who have heard the rehearsals are looking forward to a performance which shall set a new standard for work of that character in this part of the country.

Miss Blanche Hamilton Fox, who was engaged to take the mezzo-soprano part, has been unable to resist the offers of the impresarios of Mexico City and will not be one of the quartet of soloists. Her place will be filled by Mrs. Lena Carrol Nicholson, of Oakland, whose work in oratorio has been notable. The remaining three members of the quartet are Mrs. Orrin Kip McMurray, Robert M. Battison and Frank Figone.

FRESHMEN'S BALL.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Feb. 17.—Spacious Harmon gymnasium was filled last evening with members of the class of 1915, which Professor Henry Morse Stephens has named the exposition class, and which gave its first social affair, the "freshie glee." The Japanese decorations in the gymnasium were elaborate and won much admiration.

NEW ORCHESTRA TO BE HEARD AT ALAMEDA CHURCH

MISS ELIZABETH WESTGATE.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—The new orchestra of the First Presbyterian church will make its first appearance tomorrow evening in conjunction with the vested choir of twenty trained voices which Miss Elizabeth Westgate has drilled to a high state of excellence. Miss Westgate is director of the choir and arranges the joint programs for choir and orchestra.

The orchestra was organized by Charles H. Blank who, with Miss Westgate, piano; and Hawley B. Hickman, violin cello, form the California Trio. Blank is a violinist of recognized merit and brilliancy of execution.

At the church services tomorrow night the orchestra will assist in leading the Congregational singing, as well as play several special selections.

The choir of the church has reached a point of artistic finish seldom attained by such a body of singers and is recognized as one of the best small choruses about the bay. A number of exceptional voices are included in the membership and several notable programs have been given.

The California Trio has presented several programs at Miss Westgate's studio before audiences of nearly one hundred special guests, presenting programs of classic and modern numbers with charm and interpretation and noteworthy skill.

ENGINEER RECOMMENDS BUILDING OF INCINERATOR

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—Immediate action in building a municipal incinerator, the expense to be met by adding 16 cents to the tax levy, is recommended by City Engineer J. J. Jessup, in a report to the city council. Jessup returned recently from an inspection tour of cities which have garbage destroyers. No action was taken on a report by Jessup of his observations, which was referred to the committee of a whole.

PEANUT BASEBALL LEAGUE.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—The Alameda Grammar School, or Peanut Baseball League, is ready to start the 1912 season. The league this year will consist of but four teams, Longfellow and Mastick schools not entering teams, as these schools now have only primary grade scholars. The schools to be represented by teams are Porter, Lincoln, Washington and Haight. The first game played yesterday afternoon was won by Haight school from Porter, score 8 to 2.

TEMPTATION IS PULPIT THEME

Noted Paulist Priest to Deliver Newman Hall Sermon Tomorrow.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—"The Conquest Over Temptation," will be the subject of the sermon by Rev. Clarence E. Woodman, C. S. P., in Newman hall Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Harold Brayton will render the offertory, a baritone solo, "Fear Not Ye, O Israel" (Dudley Buck) at the late mass at 10:30 a. m. The Newman club male quartet will sing Gounod's second mass. Rev. Thomas Lantry O'Neill, C. S. P., chaplain of the Newman club, will be the celebrant of the early mass at 7:30 a. m.

For the benediction service at 5 o'clock the following musical program has been arranged: "Come Unto Me" (Fleming), "O Saltarius" (Albrecht), "Tautum Ergo" (Gregorian), will be given by the Newman club male quartet composed of Walton C. Webb, Ralph MacFadyen, Hugo Oliver and Harold Brayton. "If With All Your Heart," from Mendelssohn's oratorio "Elijah," a tenor solo, will be sung by Hugo Oliver.

On Wednesday and Friday evenings at 8 o'clock, during Lent, special services will be held in the chapel of Newman hall. All these services will be open to the university public.

SONS OF ST. GEORGE PLAY COMPETITION WHIST

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—Albion lodge of Oakland and Derby lodge of Alameda, Sons of St. George, played last night in competition whist for a silver cup, the Alameda team winning by the score of 170 to 145. This is the first match of a series of three, the best two games out of three winning the series, and there will be series, one every six months for the next year. The same team has to win three consecutive series before it will be awarded to the team. The next match will be held in Pythian Castle, Oakland, on a date to be announced later. The trophy is a 10-inch cup in height of solid silver, and stands on a pedestal, and is heavily engraved.

ALAMEDA PERSONALS

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—Dr. and Mrs. George Lyman (Dorothy Van Sicklen) are enjoying their wedding trip abroad. At present they are making the trip up the Nile. They will be gone about six or eight months.

Miss Margaret Warner will entertain at bridge on Saturday afternoon, February 24. She has asked a large number of younger girls to be her guests.

Mrs. Walter Brandon and Mrs. Norman Logan gave a handkerchief shower to Miss Evangeline Sale, the fiancee of Dr. Charles Ayers. The shower was given at the home of Mrs. Logan and about thirty of Miss Sale's friends were invited. Mrs. Brenden and Mrs. Logan were assisted in receiving by Miss Sale, Mrs. Louis Gilbert and Mrs. Edward Lewis.

An informal dance was enjoyed by the dancing club which met at Adelphian Hall, Thursday evening. The members are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clark, Mr. and Mrs. George Crandall, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Ayer, Mr. and Mrs. George Furbush, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hoyt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hanley, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gott, Mr. and Mrs. William Frull, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wood, Dr. and Mrs. Weston Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Alonzo Barnes and Dr. and Mrs. George Thompson.

On Monday evening Miss Evelyn Mailiot, Sophie Wilfee and Leonore Bliss will hostess a dance at the home of Miss Bliss' sister.

At a tea given by Miss Alice Davis yesterday afternoon, the engagement of Miss Martha Vaughan and Ford E. Samuel was announced. Both are members of well known families. The wedding will take place on the 6th of March at the Methodist church.

The hostess was assisted in receiving by Mrs. S. H. Morse, Mrs. Fred T. Moore, Mrs. Frank Wright, Miss Ella Smith, Miss Wynne Meredith, Miss Elma McCord, Mrs. A. J. Samuel and Mrs. W. E. Vaughan.

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Oakland	Alvarado	Richmond	Concord
Alameda	Decoto	Stege	Martinez
Berkeley	Niles	San Pablo	Pacheco
Emeryville	Centerville	Lafayette	SANTA CLARA
Piedmont	Newark	Walnut Creek	Alviso
Melrose	Irvington	Alamo	Milpitas
Elmhurst	Mission San Jose	Clayton	Agnew
San Leandro	Warm Springs	San Ramon	Santa Clara
San Lorenzo	Dougherty	Danville	San Jose
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THE TRIBUNE

Is delivered every evening in these cities and towns in Alameda, Contra Costa, Santa Clara, Marin, San Mateo and Solano counties. All of these cities and towns are healthy, progressive communities and especially those on this side of the bay do their large buying in Oakland.

SANTA CRUZ	MARIN	SAN MATEO	SOLANO
Los Gatos	Sausalito	San Bruno	Vallejo
Alma	Mill Valley	Milbrae	Benicia
Wright	Ross Valley	Burlingame	Port Costa
Glenwood	San Anselmo	San Mateo	Napa
Felton	Larkspur	Belmont	Suisun
Big Trees	Kentfield	San Carlos	Davis
Capitola	Escalle	Redwood City	Sacramento
Boulder Creek	Corte Madera	Menlo Park	Petaluma
Santa Cruz	San Quentin	Palo Alto	Santa Rosa
	Tiburon	Mayfield	
	San Rafael	Halfmoon Bay	

LATEST NEWS FROM OUTSIDE TOWNS

POULTRY EXHIBIT WINS HIGH PRAISE

Unique Methods of Showing Fowls Attracts Prominent Owners.

LIVERMORE, Feb. 17. — Since the opening of the Poultry Show to the public, Thursday evening, after the day had been spent in judging and awarding the prizes, the success has been beyond the expectations of the committee who had the show in charge. It is the first of its kind ever attempted in the United States.

No individual birds were shown, all birds being in pens showing a cock and from three to five hens. This feature has attracted attention all over the United States from poultry fanciers, and has brought a large number of men to Livermore. William Barry Owens of Vineyard Haven, Mass., arrived Wednesday night. He is probably the largest poultry fancier in the United States. He will remain in Livermore with his wife for a week and will then tour the Coast, but he came here direct from his Massachusetts home. Owens said:

"I am surprised and pleased at the success that has attended this Livermore show, for the Livermore fanciers have attempted something new in poultry shows. For a first attempt they have done remarkably well, and I believe that this show will grow from year to year until it becomes one of the biggest events in the country.

"As for the Livermore Valley, I only wish that we had a couple of hundred acres of this soil with the climatic and scenic surroundings where we live. It certainly is a wonderful country and from what I have seen of it it is splendidly adapted to the poultry business and it is destined to become a great center for both fancy and commercial birds."

START RIGHT.

Harry H. Collier of Tacoma, Wash., one of the judges of the show, said:

"The Livermore people have started out right. They have made a new kind of show when they made their 'pen show.' A man has got to have the goods to win a prize in this show. It is not a case of some one single fine bird or some one product of a breeding, but a man to win here has got to have a fine strain of birds. He has got to show class all through his stock and not in one instance. You can not quote me too strongly on the importance of this show and the prospects for the future. This is destined to become one of the great shows of the country, and, if it is kept up in the way in which it has been started poultry men from all over the country will be asking 'What did you do at the Livermore pen show this year?' This show will become the standard for the state and coast if not for the country."

W. W. Hursch of Irvington has been awarded the $100 cash prize for the largest and generally best exhibit. He entered an even dozen pens of different birds.

William Barry Owens entered 22 coops of 11 pens of birds shipped from his Massachusetts farm.

Alfred Bamford of Gardena has a fine exhibit of white plymouth rocks.

A. G. Goodacre, Compton, Cal., has one pen of partridge orpingtons valued at $1000.

Two pens of rare Japanese "Silkies" are entered by Jack Lee of Petaluma.

W. A. Sharpley of the Irondale Farm enters fine blue Andelusians.

H. C. Scranton, Petaluma, white Minorcas.

W. A. French, Stockton, large entry of fine varieties.

Golden Gate Orphanage, Lytton, Cal., adjunct of the Salvation Army, enters turkeys and geese.

Lodi Normal Institute, composed of teachers of Lodi and Stockton, enters Indian Runner ducks.

These two entries show that institutions engage in poultry raising as a profitable business.

Final awards in the Livermore Poultry Association's first annual show, which opened yesterday, were made known today. They are as follows:

S. C. Brown Leghorns (cockerel mating)—Mrs. N. D. Dutcher, Livermore, first prize; Elias Gallup, Hanford, second prize.

S. C. Brown Leghorns (pullet mating)—Fowler & Masterson, Duarte, first prize; N. D. Dutcher Jr., Livermore, second prize.

Buff Wyandotte—O. S. Hofmann, San Jacinto, first prize; J. Stansfield, Fruitvale, second prize.

Columbian Wyandotte—Owen farms, Vineyard Haven, Mass., first prize; J. Stansfield, Fruitvale, second prize.

DOCKS AT VALLEJO TO BE ENLARGED AND IMPROVED

VALLEJO, Feb. 17.—The arrival of the Vallejo and Northern Railway here is being prepared for by officials of the Monticello Steamship Company, who are planning to commence work shortly on enlarging its dock and warehouse facilities for the San Francisco trade. The wharf is to be continued back over the tules to Branciforte street, which will give more than 2000 square feet for warehouses. In order to get the big steamer Napa Valley out in quick time new slips will be erected.

Engineers for the Vallejo Northern are expected in Vallejo today. They are now on their way down from Sacramento, completing the third and last survey over the proposed route.

CONCORD NOTES.

CONCORD, Nov. 17.—Constable John [illegible]tt, Joe Rose, Fred Blume and J. Lavez[illegible]la have left for Livermore to attend [th]e big horse and poultry show with [J]udge E. P. Jackson.

Manager Clough of the Great Western [P]ower Company was in Richmond Thurs[d]ay.

Mrs. W. G. Reed of Martinez was a Concord visitor Thursday.

After one witness had been examined, [J]udge E. P. Jackson dismissed the jury [an]d exonerated William Silva, being tried [fo]r disturbing the peace and trespassing [up]on the property of his divorced wife, [M]aria Silva. Attorney Taylor represent[ed] the accused and moved that the [ch]arge be dismissed. The Silvas live [up]on the same lot, but in different [ho]uses, and the husband crossed the lot [ow]ned by the wife. His arrest followed.

Telephone Manager R. B. Borland of [Ma]rtinez looked over the local exchange [ye]sterday.

Through the generosity of several well [kn]own local firms and business men, a [por]tion of Main street was given a good [sc]raping this week and much of the mud [re]moved. Those who donated money, [tea]ms or time to the enterprise were: [Me]ssrs. Neustaller, Ott, Curzon, Dever[ea]ux, Rogers, Foskett, Elworthy, Soares [an]d the Barrs of Concord.

LA AMITA WORLD'S FINEST 10¢ CIGARS

MRS. HAYWARD, AGED 80, JOINS THE REBEKAHS

MRS. RACHEL H. HAYWARD.

HAYWARD, Feb. 17.—Mrs. Rachael H. Hayward, widow of William Hayward, after whom the town was named, was initiated into the local lodge of the Rebekahs last night in her eightieth year. Mrs. Hayward was the first American woman to settle in Hayward. She came here 50 years ago, when there were no buildings but the Hayward hotel, then a stage station, a grocery store and the Guilherme Castro residence. Shortly after her arrival she married William Hayward, then in the employ of Guilherme Castro and from whom he later bought the land upon which Hayward is built. Hayward was the first American settler of this section, having arrived a few years before his future wife.

Mrs. Hayward was born in Indiana in 1831 and came to California in 1855 by way of the Isthmus of Panama. Despite her advanced years Mrs. Hayward is active and alert. In the last 20 years she has crossed the continent 15 times, each time visiting her kinsmen.

NO "RAGGING" ALLOWED AT LIVERMORE DANCE

PLEASANTON, Feb. 17. — The "Texas Tommy," "Grizzly Bear," "Bunny Hug," "Turkey Trot" and other "beautiful rags" will not be danced tonight at the ball to be given in the Nevis Opera House by the Pleasanton Orchestra. The management has emphatically declared that the latest of dance creations, so popular with lads and lassies, will be strictly forbidden and the floor managers will be instructed to put a stop to the dance if any "ragging" is attempted. A rumor had started that "Bunny Hugs" and dances of that nature would be permitted tonight and had caused much uneasiness in the ranks of the conservative element in town.

MARTINEZ NOTES

MARTINEZ, Feb. 17.—Thomas Christian has returned to his position as assistant agent for the Southern Pacific here. Christian has been agent at Melrose, just outside of Oakland, for the past three months.

Mrs. C. F. Wood of Alamo, who has been here as the guest of her brother, Postmaster Frank L. Glass, has gone to San Francisco.

Attorney J. E. Rodgers went to Berkeley yesterday.

Mrs. C. O. Burgin has been spending a few days in San Francisco.

Frank Gavin of Concord passed through Martinez yesterday en route to San Francisco.

Charles Ritsch Sr. of Modesto and formerly of Martinez, is able to walk out with the aid of crutches. Ritsch has been confined to a hospital in the Stanislaus city for some time, owing to a fractured leg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Flood of Lafayette were visitors in Martinez Thursday.

A. J. McMahon and George McMahon were called to San Francisco on business yesterday.

Judge and Mrs. Latimer were in Benicia Thursday evening to attend the wedding of an old friend.

Mrs. George O. Meese entertained the I. E. Club at her home on Escobar street Thursday afternoon. First honors were won by Mrs. C. C. Scott.

G. L. Woodward, who has been ill for the past few days, was able to be up and around again yesterday.

The big safe purchased by the county to hold the cash in the treasurer's office arrived yesterday. The safe will hold one half million dollars in coin and cost the county about $2100.

DANVILLE NOTES

DANVILLE, Feb. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Halvorsen have returned from a several days' stay in Oakland.

Miss Conahan of San Francisco is visiting at Oakwood Park.

Mrs. William Meese has returned from a visit with her son, George Meese, at Martinez.

Mrs. Sophia Boone has returned from a visit with relatives in San Jose.

Mrs. Tessie Halvorsen, who was the recent guest of her son, Roy Halvorsen, has gone to Livermore to visit her sister, Mrs. Emma Olsen.

Dr. and Mrs. F. Rutherford were Danville visitors early in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Podvia have returned for an extended visit in the San Joaquin valley.

Mrs. Addie Harris and little daughter have spent the past few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence, in Walnut Creek.

Mrs. Ola Glass entertained a party of twelve at cards at her home on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendricks spent several days of the past week in Berkeley.

Mrs. A. Oleson of San Ramon spent the past week in San Francisco.

Mrs. J. Wiester went to San Francisco Wednesday to be with her daughter, Mrs. Barnard, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks spent the week end in the bay cities.

Frank Kelly of San Francisco spent Sunday at his country home here.

The Valley Mercantile Company is now located in its fine new store next to the bank.

Mrs. Jennie Barnard of Santa Rosa was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Edmund Williams, in Tassajara recently.

Paul McDonald, an attorney from San Francisco, spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. R. O. Baldwin, at Orage.

PRAISE SERVICE OPENS CONVENTION

Afternoon's Program of County C. E. Union Is Lengthy One.

FRUITVALE, Feb. 17.—A special praise service, lead by W. Fowler, opened the second day of the annual convention of the Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the Fruitvale Congregational church in Fruitvale avenue, near East Sixteenth street.

The program this afternoon included addresses by J. Homer Nishwitz, Paul Brown, Elmer Shirrell, Miss Emma Powell, Rev. B. M. Palmer, Dunbar Keith and other prominent church workers. Other features of the program were devotional and biblical study periods, choir selections and vocal numbers.

The afternoon session will close with a fellowship supper starting at 6 o'clock, presided over by Rev. F. L. Goodspeed, as toastmaster. The evening's activities, which will close the convention, will include installation of officers and a roll call of county societies. The benediction at the close will be read by Rev. B. M. Palmer, preceded by an address on "United Endeavor" by Rev. George E. Burlingame. Following is a list of county officers for 1912:

President, J. Dunbar Keith; first vice-president, Fred W. Hoffman; second vice-president, Wallace McAllister; third vice-president, Mark Said; secretary, Miss Grace Beebe; treasurer, Ben Small; intermediate superintendent, Herbert Tweedie; junior superintendent, Miss Eva Taylor; quiet hour superintendent, Miss Alice Goddard; tenth legion superintendent, Kenneth Rogers; missionary superintendent, Miss Mignon Bradon; floating superintendent, W. N. Jenkins; citizenship and temperance superintendent, J. Homer Nishwitz; evangelistic superintendent, Will Culbert; hospital superintendent, Miss Alvilda Nicolaisen; extension and introduction superintendent, Reese Martin; efficiency superintendent, Harry Shephard; pastoral counselor, Rev. C. L. Mears; finance committee, Neil E. Munro, Mark Daw, L. A. Ward.

PROGRAM IS LENGTHY.

This afternoon's program is:

Praise Service, W. Fowler; Devotional, Miss Lucy Robinson; Conference Hour—Presidents, A. W. Johnson; Quiet Hour, Neil Munroe; Tenth Legion, Miss Viola Rich; Junior, Miss Louise Chapin; Evangelistic, Paul Brown; Citizenship and Temperance, J. Homer Nishwitz; Intermediate, Elmer Shirrell; vocal solo, Miss Marie Whitmore; symposium, "Alameda County," Paul Brown, leader; 1, Missionary Opportunities—(a) Seamen's Rest, Ralph Hawley, (b) County Hospital; 2, The City Society, Elmer Shirrell; 3, The Country Society, Miss Emma Powell; 4, Unity in Service, Rev. B. M. Palmer; 5, The Future Outlook, Dunbar Keith; vocal duet, Misses Brandon; address, Rev. L. A. McAfee; intermission; Fellowship Supper, Rev. F. L. Goodspeed, toastmaster.

The evening's program, starting at 7:30 o'clock, will be:

Praise service, Al Good; devotional, Rev. C. L. Mears; announcements; county roll call of societies (respond with a verse of scripture); selection, chorus choir; installation of officers, A. W. Johnson; address, Dunbar Keith; song, audience; awarding of county banner; vocal solo; address, "United Endeavor," Rev. George E. Burlingame; benediction, Rev. B. M. Palmer.

WORK PROGRESSING ON PORT COSTA RAILROAD

RICHMOND, Feb. 17. — Work is progressing rapidly on the grading for the new Point Costa railroad, under the supervision of H. G. Biggs, superintendent of the San Francisco Quarries Company, which has the brading contract for the three miles of new railroad being built around the waterfront from Winehaven to the Standard Oil wharf. The assertion by parties claiming to know that this new railroad is but a link in the chain of the United Properties Company and is to connect not only with the Belt Line but also with a ferry service to the Marin county shore and there with a new electric railway from San Quentin to Santa Rosa has not been denied and is generally credited as a fact. The electric line in Marin county has already materialised to the extent of incorporation of the company proposing to build it.

RICHMOND NOTES

RICHMOND, Feb. 17. — Miss Odeale Biggs, the popular daughter of H. B. Biggs of large quarry fame, leaves this evening for London, England, to visit with relatives residing there.

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John Evans of Stege, who has been an inmate of the state insane asylum for a year, died at that institution yesterday after a lingering illness.

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There is considerable dock work going on around the local waterfront. The dock at Point Orient is being enlarged and repaired; the Standard Oil wharf shows recent improvement and is today loading two large tank steamers; the Santa Fe wharf is creeping out into the bay to the 1000-foot mark and the new ferry service inaugurated by Captain Lauritzen is preparing to build a wharf and dock.

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The Realty Board, which held a mass meeting recently and discussed the irritating subway matter, left it up to President M. W. Truitt to appoint a committee to confer with the city engineer and the officials of the Southern Pacific railway, and today he announced the committee as follows: wD. W. McLaughlin, M. J. Kelly, H. A. Johnston, C. J. Rihn and H. H. Turley.

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A largely attended and enjoyable whist party was given last evening by Fire Company No. 1.

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The Western States Gas and Electric Company yesterday received additional machinery for their local plant, which is being much enlarged in capacity.

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The sophomore class of the Richmond Union High won the interclass track meet yesterday afternoon at East Share park near Stege.

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Mrs. H. D. Chapman, wife of the city engineer, entertained the Stitch Club at her home last evening in her usual delightful manner.

A WARNING AGAINST WET FEET.
Wet and chilled feet usually affect the mucus membrane of the nose, throat and lungs, and la grippe, bronchitis or pneumonia may result. Watch carefully, particularly children, and for the racking, stubborn coughs give Foley's Honey and Tar compound. It soothes the inflamed membranes, and heals the cough quickly. Take no substitute. Wishart's drug store, corner Tenth and Washington streets.

OFFICIAL RECORDS

DEEDS FILED FRIDAY, FEB. 16.

J. A. Scribner, W. R. Miller, C. S. Goodman, E. C. Simmons and Lou H. Sieber to Mrs. A. S. Black, intersection of southwest line of Brookdale avenue with the northwest line of Renwick st, northwest 50.70, southwest 104.25 ft m or l to line dividing lots 7 and 8, from lot 9, thence southeast 50.75 to northwest line of Renwick st, thence northeast 104.46 ft to commencement, lot 8, and southeast 20 ft of lot 7, block E, map of Orland Heights, Oakland; $10.

Addie M. Jessen (widow) to Estelle H. Nichols (married) N 23d 275 ft west of Grove st, west 25xN 100, portion of lot 78, block Q, map of W. F. Kelsey's tract, Oakland; $10.

Margaret Windall (widow) to Estelle H. Nichols (married), N 23d 275 ft W rove st west 25xN 100, portion of lot 18, block Q, map of W. F. Kelsey's tract, Oakland; $10.

Margaret Windall (widow) to John Rapp (single), S 26th st 338.8 ft east of San Pablo avenue, south 12 degrees 08 minutes west 99 ft m or l to intersection with line drawn parallel with said line of 26th st and distant 99 ft south therefrom, thence east 33 ft, north 12 degrees 08 minutes east 99 ft m or l to said line in 26th st, thence west 33 ft to commencement, Oakland; $10.

T. E. Stanley (single) to C. B. and Florence E. Stanley (wife) lot 19 and northeast 12½ ft of lot 18, block D, map of Hemphill tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

F. W. and A. H. Gibson (wife) to Fred Hamer (single) southwest E 24th st 190 ft SE 11th avenue, southeast 40xSW 100, portion of block 142, Higley's map of Clinton, Oakland; $250.

J. F. Whalen (single) to Lena B. West, S 59th 195.99 ft east of Canning st, east 34.6 south 7 degrees 51 minutes east 100 ft, west 34.6, north 7 degrees 51 minutes west 100 ft to beginning, portion of block S, map of resubdivision of portion of Roberts & Wolfskill tract, Oakland township; subject to deed of trust for $2250; $10.

Emil Gosch (widower) to Carl E. Martin, W Orange avenue 100 ft south east of 26th st, with south line of right of way of Berkeley Branch RR, thence south 63, east 100 to commencement of corner lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, block 27, thence north 87.33 to south line of said RR, thence west to beginning, being lot 2, block 27, map of property of I. M. Beaudry and Peladeau, Oakland; $10.

B. F. and Elizabeth R. Whitton (wife) to Dorothy Fredericks (wife of J. J.) Haste st 166-8 ft west of Bowditch st, west 35-4xS 120, portion of lot 3, block 7, map of property of College Homestead Association; subject to deed of trust for $3500; $10.

Talcott Land Co. (corporation) to Georgie Knott Nelson (wife of Jacob), lot 20, block 20, map of Melrose Heights, Brooklyn township; D and gat; $10.

East Shore Land Company (corporation) to George L. and Ellie C. Houghton, lot 7, amended map of Elmside Park, Oakland; $10.

Helen T. Mills (widow) to Edward C. Mills, west 26 ft of lot 3 and east 34 ft of lot 4, map of Lawton avenue tract, Oakland; $10.

Annie Malline (widow) to Lelia Gertrude Jones (married) (separate property), lot 7, map of Brookside Park, Oakland; subject to mortgage of $1850; $10.

Nellie A. Maxwell (widow) to Walter H. Leimert, NE Sheridan avenue at intersection by northwest line of Lake View avenue, thence northeast 168.71 ft east from northeast line of Sheridan avenue, thence west 262.18, southeast 140.80 to beginning, portion of lot 15, map of resubdivision of lots 18 to 27 inclusive, map of Crocker tract, Piedmont; $10.

R. J. Pavert (widower) to E. C. Gill (single), quit claim deed; E Brush st 144-6 ft south of 11th st south 35-6x7 75, lot 5 and south 10-6 ft of lot 6, block 149, K's map of Oakland; $10.

E. C. Gill (single) to Esther Harris (wife of S.), same property as above; $10.

Annie and S. B. Glass (husband) to Charley Hoffman, SW Elm st 611 ft northwest of Vine st, northwest 25, south 45 degrees 30 minutes west 100.22 ft, southeast 25, north 45 degrees 30 minutes east 99.78 ft to beginning, lot 11, block G, map of Melrose Station tract, Oakland; $10.

Mary Hoffman to Charley Hoffman (husband) quit claim deed; S W Elm etc., same property as above; $10.

Florence M. Lynch, individually and as administratrix of the estate of Peter J. Lynch (deceased) to Norman Leroy Cord, intersection of southeast line of 12th avenue with the southwest line of lot 43, map of Templeton tract, thence southeast 150, northeast 31.08, northwest to said line of 12th avenue, southwest 31.6 ft to beginning, being portion of said lot 43, Oakland; $10.

Edson F. and Elizabeth W. Adams (wife) to Mandel Goldwater, lot 5, block 14, map of Lakeside subdivision of Adams Point property, Oakland; D and agt; $10.

Alta Piedmont Land Company (corporation) to Frank W. and Cora M. Langdon (wife) lots 48 and 49, block 3, map of Fourth Avenue Heights, Oakland; subject to electric right of way; D and agt $10.

W. C. and Anna W. Booth (wife) to E. H. Sweetser (single), lot 43, map of Highland tract, Oakland; $10.

Fannie C. Smith to Mary L. Shaw (widow), S Fairview st 371.20 ft east of Telegraph ave, east 40xS 110, portion of lots 12 and 13, map of Moler tract, Oakland; $100.

Budd Shemella (husband of Susan) to Susan Shemella, S Apgar st 125 ft west of Grove, west 42xS 145, east 42 ft of lot 8, block C, map of Apgar tract, Oakland; $10.

George and Carrie R. Sterling (wife) to F. M. Smith; intersection of east line of San Pablo avenue with west line of Adeline st, thence north 14½ degrees west 225 ft m or l to the south line of lot 4, map of Kimball tract, thence east 141 ft m or l to west line of Adeline st, thence south 270 ft m or l to commencement, lots 1, 2 and 3, map of Kimball tract, Emeryville; $10.

F. M. and Evelyn Ellis Smith (wife) to the Realty Syndicate (corporation), same property as above; $10.

Louis Bagby (single) to T. B. Webster, quit claim deed; E Fruitvale avenue (as exists) 902.85 ft south of old county road Oakland to San Leandro, said point being at intersection of east line of Fruitvale avenue with south line of a public road, thence east 163 ft for beginning, thence east 50xS 120, portion of lot 7, map of Bray tract, Oakland; $10.

James A. Brond to Bank of Commerce (corporation), northeast corner of Market and 36th sts, east 75, north 100, west 75 to east line of Market st, south 00.56 ft to beginning, portion of block 948, Oakland; $10.

Frank M. Wilson (widower) to Emily H. Coralt, lot 140, map of Woodlawn Park, Oakland; re-record O-13206; $10.

Benjamin H. and Martha S. Griffin (husband) to D. W. La Fortune, lot 41, map of Piedmont by the Lake, Oakland; $10.

E. H. and Fanny H. Lohmann (wife) to L. Pfrang, lot 3, block N, map of East Piedmont Heights, Oakland; $10.

George F. and Lizzie May Shrider (wife) to John and Allister S. Mitchell (both single), northwest of Taft avenue 303.12 ft northeast of College avenue, northeast 40xNW 106, lot 72, map of Woodlawn Park, Oakland; $10.

Same to same, SW West 12th and Poplar sts, east 38-8 110-3, lot 19, block 561, map of blocks 560, 570 and 577, Oakland; $10.

George W. and Margaret Austin (wife) to Malcolm Baker, quit claim deed; northwest 13th avenue 80.05 southwest of East 28th st, southwest 29.05, northwest 97.00, northeast 28.08, southeast 92.53 to beginning, being portion of lot 7 of lot 31, map of subdivision of lot 31, Templeton tract, Oakland; $10.

Bernard and Edith Moses (wife) to Frank J. Woodward, W Piedmont way 74.76 ft north of Durant avenue, north 60.69, west 146.65, south 60, east 137.55 to beginning; portion of lots 31 and 32, block D, map of portion of Berkeley property between University of California and State Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylum, Berkeley; $6750.

Ella May McKenzie to Andrew C. McKenzie (husband) deed gift; SE Blake and Ellsworth sts, south 44-10xE 87, west 87 ft of lot 14, block B, map of Leonard tract, Berkeley.

Minnie Lehmann to North Berkeley Land Co. (corporation), quit claim deed; lots 3 and 4, block 9, and lots 77 and 78, block 8, map of Regents Park, Oakland township; $10.

R. H. Wight (widower) to Henry W. Taylor lot 23, block 15, map of Oak Ridge, Claremont, Berkeley; subject to contract in 1409D 180; $10.

George W. and Georgia A. Howard (wife) to Maude Howard Macdonald, N Parker st 200.51 ft west of Shattuck avenue, west 50xN 129.65, lot 18, block 10, map of Shattuck tract, Berkeley; $10.

Clara Kern (widow) to Mrs. A. A. Hink (married), E Sacramento st (as exists) 73.6 ft north from south line of lot 35, block 3, thence north 113.4, east 89.25, south 113.4, west 89.25 ft to beginning, portion of lots 31, 32, 33 and 24, block 3, map showing location of Spaulding tract, Berkeley; $10.

Elizameth Coulter (single) to E. A. Janssen, lot 17, block C, map of Elmwood Park, Berkeley; $10.

James and Nellie F. Hamilton (wife) to S. A. Myhre W. Benvenneu (Monroe st) ave 160 ft south of Webster st, south 40xW 120, lot 28, block B, map No. 2, Bateman tract, Berkeley; $10.

Martha A. Goss, Eliane McShane (single), Ramona M., and John Wooley McShane to H. Woodsum, conveying life interest of said Martha A. Goss in east 44 ft of said land and life interest of Elaine A. McShane in west 108 ft of said land, together with her 1-5 interest of said land and 1-5 interest of Ramona McShane, and 1-5 interest of John Wooley McShane, SE Telegraph and Channing way, south 85.15, east 150, north 75.15, to south line of Channing way, west 150 to beginning, portion of lot 8, block 7, map of property of College Homestead Association, Berkeley; subject to mortgage of $8500; $10.

Berkeley Development Company (corporation) to Arthur W. Bell lot 12, block 1, map of Berkeley Heights, Berkeley; D and agt; $10.

Anna Taylor (widow) to William J. T. Heitmann (single) deed gift; lots 20 and 21, block 2, map of Brower tract, Alameda.

Louise and Belle Saroni (wife) to R. C. Hillen (single) SW Liberty avenue 500 ft SE of High st, southeast 80xSW 115, lot 11 and west 30 ft of lot 12, block O, map of Liberty & Garfield tract, Alameda; $10.

William Goforth to Elizabeth Goforth (wife) deed gift, southwest corner of Sycamore and Third streets, thence along west line of Third st 300 ft west 150, north 800, east 150 to beginning being east half of block 11 on map of said town said property being same as described in deed to grantor herein 43D298, Eden township.

William M. and Addie D. Sheldon (wife) to F. H. Davis, beginning at iron pin driven in ground at point distant north 15 degrees 54 minutes east 60 ft from most northerly corner of land conveyed to Mary E. Andrade, 998D 878, thence south 74 degrees 06 minutes east 140 ft to northwest line of street 30 ft wide, thence south 15 degrees 54 minutes west 74 degrees 06 minutes west 140 ft to north corner of said parcel, thence north 15 degrees 54 minutes east 60 ft to beginning, together with right of way to and from Third st over above st 30 ft wide, being same land conveyed to Mary Ann Ross June 20, 06, 1130D458, Niles; $10.

William C. Wallace (single) to Niels and Anna Jorgensen, commencing at stake in south line of East st from which intersection of south line of East st and southeast line of E st bears north 81 degrees west 2.85 chains distant, thence south 81 degrees east 3.82 chains; thence bears 35 minutes west 6.69 chains north 40 degrees 15 minutes west 1.50 chains north 53 degrees 35 minutes west 2.26 chains north 27 degrees 35 minutes east 4.57 chains to beginning containing 2 acres as surveyed by Robt. H. Goodwin Hayward; $10.

H. S. and Matilda J. Gile (wife) to the Gile Investment Company (corporation) beginning at point 7.50 chains west from northeast corner of lot 16 in section 19 township 2, south range 3 west, MDM, thence west 2.50 chains, south 20 chains, east 2.50 chains, north 20 chains to beginning, con 5 acres, Alameda county; $10.

Edward Salz Inc (corporation) and J. D. Millar (single) to James H. Terrill, lot 15, block 3, map of Mowry-Millar addition to Newark, Washington township; $10.

Edward Salz Inc (corporation) and J. D. Millar (single) to Arthur V. Jackson, lot 17 block 8 map of Mowry-Millar addition to Newark, Washington township; $10.

Marten Hansen (single) to Jorgen E. Sando (single), N Harlan st 152.22 ft east of San Lorenzo avenue, north 28 degrees 05 minutes west 150 ft, north 62 degrees east 42 ft, south 28 degrees east 150 ft south 62 degrees west 42 ft to beginning, being portion of block 6, Harland addition to town of San Leandro; $10.

Newark Development Company (corporation) to Ida B. Crampton, all of Villa lot 14, block F, except parcel 30 ft wide adjacent to Villa lot 13 and being in north part of Villa lot 14 and fronting 30 ft on Thirnton avenue and 80 ft on alley in rear of said brock F, map showing subdivision of portion of Villa lots in town of Newark, $10.

William Arthur Ramage (single) to Isabella Ramage (mother), deed gift; N E st 250 ft east of Third st, north 225, east 50, south 225, west 50 to beginning, Hayard.

PROBATE.

In re term homestead interest of Frank A. Silva (deceased), decree term homestead interest of deceased under V homesteads 403; lot 17, block B, map of J. W. Crawford tract, Oakland township; decree No. 16071, Alameda county.

Estate of Margaret J. Macdonald (deceased) to Sarah E. Janssen (half), Robert Edgar as executor of Estate of Allan Macdonal (deceased) (half), decree distribution, No. 15090, Alameda county; undivided 1-24 interest in S Woolsey st 150 ft east from southeast corner of California and Woolsey sts, thence east 50xS 135, lot 14, block E, map of south portion of Harmon tract, Berkeley; also property not now known or discovered.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

Isadore and Lena Sherman (wife) to W. W. Garthwaite and J. Y. Eccleston, trustees of the Oakland Bank of Savings (corporation), North Athens avenue 397 ft west of San Pablo avenue, west 28xN 92, lot 14, map of Central Key Route tract, Oakland; $300.

Louis F. and Julia A. Bauer (wife) to J. F. Carlston and Arthur L. Harris, trustees of the Central Savings Savings Bank (corporation), lot 33, map of Claremont Palms tract, Oakland; $500.

L. and Meta Pfrang (wife) to Oakland Bank of Savings (corporation), trustees of Laura E. Gillies, north 35 ft of lot 10 and south 5 ft of lot 9, block 6, map of Fourth Avenue Hghts, Oakland; $3500.

C. W. and Emma H. Bolles (wife) to W. W. Garthwaite and J. Y. Eccleston, trustees of the Oakland Bank of Savings (corporation), lot 2, block 11, map of Lakeside subdivision of Adams Point property; $6000.

Max Bernstein Conklin (widow) to W. W. Garthwaite and J. Y. Eccleston, trustees of the Oakland Bank of Savings (corporation), intersection of the southwest line of East 17th st with the southeast line of Fourth avenue, southeast 150, southwest 150, northwest 50, northeast 65, northwest 100 to southeast line of Fourth avenue, northeast 85 to beginning, portion of block 81, Higley's map of Clinton, Oakland; $3000.

W. E. and Louisa C. Proctor (wife) to Elizabeth L. and H. E. Wharton, trustees of H. E. Wharton, north 17th st 130 ft west of Grove, west 68xN 107-6, portion of block 281, map of Oakland and vicinity, B's map of Oakland; $7000.

Anton T. and Ragna Andersen (wife) to Elizabeth L. and Ludwig W. Andersen to Frances Panter and Leo R. Weil, trustees of Frank Panter, S Wellington st 509.93 ft east of 13th ave, east 40, south 35 degrees 07 minutes 30 seconds west 10 ft, north 54 degrees 52 minutes 30 seconds west 40 ft, north 35 degrees 57 minutes 30 seconds west 110 ft, north 54 degrees 52 minutes 30 seconds west 40 ft, north 35 degrees 07 minutes 30 seconds east 110 ft to beginning, being lot 132 map of Fourth Avenue Terrace Extension, Oakland; $2500.

Agnes Browne (widow) to George E. Meredith and F. C. Martens, trustees of John R. Woolsey, NE East 20th st 200 ft southeast of 11th avenue, southeast 100xNE 50, part of blk 127, map aforesaid, Oakland; $2500.

L. and Mea Pfrang (wife) to Leo R. Weil and M. A. McAuley, trustees of E. H. Lohmann, lot 3, block N, map of East Piedmont Heights, Oakland; $3500.

Minnie A. and Richard M. Rowe to H. Blais, trustees of M. E. and W. H. E. Blais, lot E, map of lot 8, University Terrace, Berkeley; $600.

H. Woodsum and Martha A. Goss, John W. and Ramona M. McShane to Lyman Green and Frank H. Ocoman, trustees of John William Horn, same property as deed of Martha A. Goss et al to H. Woodsum, Berkeley; $150.

MORTGAGES.

Ella Baily (widow) to George F. Dowling, same property as deed of J. T. Hinch and wife to Ella Baily, Oakland; $250.

John H. Gregg (widower) to Bank of San Leandro (corporation), lots 29 and 30, map of Orange Grove tract, Brooklyn township; $700, 1 year.

Evalt and Anete Milt (wife) to Bank of San Leandro (corporation), lot 20, map of Cunha & Walker property, Brooklyn township; $1500, 1 year.

Max Bernstein (single) to S. F. Wachsman (married), same property as deed of George Fox to Max Bernstein, Oakland; $700.

Schuyler G. and Clara Frances Brown (wife) to Farmers and Merchants Savings Bank (corporation), NE 54th (Sonoma) and Genoa sts, east 40xN 124, lot 28, block S, map of Alpine tract, Oakland; $2000, 1 year.

Adelia R. Norton (widow) to Adelhied Moyer, same property as rel mortgage of Kate M. Delavan to J. E. Norton, etc., Oakland; 500, 4 years 7 per cent.

Walter H. Leimert (single) to Nellie A. Maxwell, same property as deed of Nellie A. Maxwell to W. H. Leimert, Oakland; $12,000.

Charley Hoffman to John Carlson, lot 11, block G, map of Melrose Station tract, Oakland; $250.

Otto Blankart (widower) to Mary Agnes McCarthy, NW 10th avenue 112 ft southwest of East 17th st, southwest 43xNW 150, portion of block 56, Higley's map of Clinton, Oakland; $3000, 1 year, 6 per cent.

E. H. Sweetser (single) to F. Petersen, lot 43, map of Highland tract, Oakland; $350.

J. S. and Clara Myers (wife) to Mary Jenkins, F Alice st 787.10 ft south of Durant (19th st), to th 100xE 128.94, Oakland; $15,000, 3 years, 7 per cent.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PLANNED FOR VALLEJO

MARTINEZ, Feb. 17.—A Contra Costa Chamber of Commerce, with headquarters here, is to be organized as a result of a meeting held yesterday. The organization is to take up the work of preparing the Contra Costa exhibit at the Panama-Pacific international exposition. The association will be organized formally at another meeting here March 9, when A. J. Filcher, head of the counties participation committee, will address the boosters.

MISS M. SHINN TO DELIVER ADDRESS

NILES, Feb. 17.—Miss Millicent Shinn, a leader in the recent equal suffrage campaign in this section and some time editor of the Overland Monthly, will address a gathering of the Sunday School Association of Washington township at the Niles Congregational church tomorrow. Her subject will be "Practical Points in Teaching." Miss Shinn is a forceful speaker.

POLICE JUDGE SUFFERS NERVOUS COLLAPSE

RICHMOND, Feb. 17. — Police Judge William Lindsay was taken ill with a fainting spell in his court room last evening and was conveyed by Chief of Police Arnold to his home, where he now lies in a precarious condition, his illness being a nervous collapse from overwork and mental strain.

LEGAL NOTICES.

PUBLICATION OF AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, GRANTING TO THE OAKLAND TRACTION COMPANY, A CORPORATION, A STREET RAILROAD FRANCHISE IN THE TOWNSHIP OF OAKLAND, COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING TO THE OAKLAND TRACTION COMPANY, A CORPORATION, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, THE RIGHT, FRANCHISE AND PRIVILEGE TO LAY DOWN, CONSTRUCT, MAINTAIN AND OPERATE FOR THE TERM OF FIFTY (50) YEARS, A SINGLE OR DOUBLE TRACK STREET RAILROAD, WITH ALL NECESSARY AND CONVENIENT STATIONS, SIDE TRACKS, SWITCHES, POLES, WIRES, CONNECTIONS AND APPLIANCES, TO BE OPERATED BY ELECTRICITY OR SUCH OTHER IMPROVED MODE OF OPERATION AS MAY BE AUTHORIZED BY LAW, EXCEPT STEAM LOCOMOTIVES, ALONG AND UPON THAT CERTAIN ROUTE IN THE TOWNSHIP OF OAKLAND, COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, WHICH SAID ROUTE IS DESCRIBED BY ITS CENTER LINE AS FOLLOWS, TO WIT:

BEGINNING AT THE INTERSECTION OF THE NORTHERN BOUNDARY LINE OF THE CITY OF BERKELEY WITH THE CENTER LINE OF THE ARLINGTON ROAD AS SAID ROAD IS SHOWN ON THAT CERTAIN MAP ENTITLED "MAP OF THE ARLINGTON ROAD, FROM BERKELEY TO LOT 1, SAN PABLO RANCHO," FILED ON THE 9TH DAY OF MARCH, 1908, IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF ALAMEDA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA; AND RUNNING THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG THE CENTER LINE OF SAID THE ARLINGTON ROAD, TO THE INTERSECTION OF SAID CENTER LINE OF THE ARLINGTON ROAD WITH THE NORTHERLY BOUNDARY LINE OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA.

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda do ordain as follows:

THAT WHEREAS, on the Sixteenth day of October, A. D. 1911, the OAKLAND TRACTION COMPANY, a corporation, filed with the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda an application in writing for the franchise hereinafter set forth, and

WHEREAS, thereafter such action was taken by said Board of Supervisors upon said application of said Oakland Traction Company in accordance with the law in such case made and provided, that thereafter, to wit, on the Fifth day of February, A. D. 1912, after due notice given as provided by law, said franchise was by resolution of said Board of Supervisors duly passed and adopted at a meeting of said Board held on said Fifth day of February, A. D. 1912, duly struck off, sold and awarded by said Board of Supervisors to said Oakland Traction Company as the highest bidder therefor for the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty (250) Dollars, in United States Gold Coin; and

WHEREAS, said Oakland Traction Company deposited with the County Clerk of the said County of Alameda and ex-officio Clerk of said Board of Supervisors, in the manner and within the times provided by law, the full amount of its said bid of Two Hundred and fifty (250) Dollars; and

WHEREAS, said Oakland Traction Company, did, within five days after said franchise was so awarded to it, as aforesaid, file with said Board of Supervisors a bond running to said County of Alameda in the penal sum of Two Thousand (2000) Dollars (said sum of Two Thousand—2000—Dollars being the amount theretofore fixed by said Board of Supervisors as the penal sum of such bond), with two good and sufficient sureties, conditioned in all respects as required by law, which said bond and the sureties thereon were duly approved by said Board of Supervisors;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1. The right, franchise and privilege is hereby granted unto the Oakland Traction Company, a corporation, its successors and assigns, to lay down, construct, maintain and operate a street railroad with all necessary and convenient stations, side tracks, switches, poles, wires, connections and appliances, along and upon that certain route in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, which said route is described by its center line as follows, to wit:

BEGINNING at the intersection of the Northern boundary line of the City of Berkeley with the center line of The Arlington Road as said road is shown on that certain map entitled "Map of The Arlington Road, from Berkeley to Lot 1, San Pablo Rancho," filed on the 9th day of March, 1908, in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County, California; and running thence Northerly along the center line of said The Arlington Road to the intersection of said center line of The Arlington Road with the Northerly boundary line of the County of Alameda.

Section 2. Said Oakland Traction Company, its successors and assigns, is hereby granted and given the above mentioned right, franchise and privilege to lay down, construct, maintain and operate said street railroad for all purposes to which street railroads are usually devoted, including the right to carry passengers thereon for hire, for the term of fifty (50) years from and after the date when this ordinance takes effect.

Section 3. Said street railroad shall consist of a single or double track, and the rails shall be laid in a good and substantial and workmanlike manner, and said street railroad shall be constructed in such a manner as to present the least possible obstruction and inconvenience to the traveling public, and the cars run thereon shall be of the most approved pattern for comfort, convenience and safety.

Section 4.—Said street railroad shall be operated by electricity or such other improved mode of operation as may be authorized by law, except steam locomotives.

Section 5. The tracks, side tracks and switches shall not be more than five feet wide within the rails and must have a space between them sufficient to allow the cars to pass each other freely, and when permanently laid shall be as nearly as possible in the middle of said road. No stations shall be constructed within the lines of the public highway without the approval and consent of said Board of Supervisors.

Section 6. Single fares on said street railroad shall be as now provided by law.

Section 7. Said Oakland Traction Company, its successors or assigns, must plank, pave or macadamize, or otherwise improve, with the same kind of material with which other portions of the public highway adjacent are improved, the entire length of the said public highway used by said track or tracks between the rails and for two feet on each side thereof, and also between the tracks where there is more than one track, and keep the same constantly in repair, flush with said public highway and with good crossings, and said Oakland Traction Company, its successors or assigns, after five (5) days' notice to repair or improve the entire length of said public highway used by said railroad, or any portion thereof, as above provided, shall forfeit to the said County of Alameda ten dollars per day for each and every day that said Oakland Traction Company, or its successors or assigns, shall neglect to comply with the aforesaid condition.

Section 8. Work to construct said street railroad shall be commenced in good faith within four (4) months from the date of the taking effect of this ordinance, and if not so commenced within said time, said right, franchise and privilege hereby granted shall be declared forfeited, and work to construct said street railroad shall be completed within three (3) years from the date of the taking effect of this ordinance, and if not so completed within said time, said right, franchise and privilege hereby granted shall be forfeited, unless the uncompleted portion thereof be abandoned with the consent and approval of said Board of Supervisors, and provided that for good cause shown, said Board of Supervisors may by resolution extend the time for the completion of the work to construct said street railroad not exceeding three (3) months.

Section 9. Said Oakland Traction Company, its successors or assigns, shall lay the tracks for said street railroad along and upon said public highway under the direction of said Board of Supervisors and the County Surveyor of said County of Alameda, and no change of said public highway over which said street railroad is to run shall be made in any way except by and with the consent and approval of said Board of Supervisors.

Section 10. In case said street railroad shall be operated by electricity, the poles used upon said public highway in the construction thereof shall be of the most approved pattern in use for electrical railroads and of wood, iron or concrete, and all wires used in connection with the exercise of said franchise, except underground wires, shall be of sufficient height and elevation above the ground so as to avoid obstruction to the ordinary use of said public highway.

Section 11. Cars must be operated over said street railroad in each direction at least once every thirty (30) minutes between the hours of six (6) o'clock A. M. and eleven (11) o'clock P. M. of each day.

Section 12. All mail carriers in the employ of the United States Government, at all times while engaged in the actual discharge of duty, shall be permitted and allowed to ride on the cars of said street railroad without paying any sum of money whatever for fare or otherwise.

Section 13. Said Oakland Traction Company, its successors or assigns, must, during the life of the franchise hereby granted, pay to the County of Alameda two per cent (2%) of the gross annual receipts of said Oakland Traction Company, its successors or assigns, arising from the use, operation or possession of such franchise. No percentage shall be paid for the first five (5) years succeeding the date of the franchise, but thereafter such percentage shall be payable annually; and in the event said payment is not made said franchise shall be forfeited.

Section 14. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty (30) days from its final passage, upon the publication thereof in accordance with law being made before the expiration of the said thirty days.

Passed and adopted at a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, held on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1912, by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Bridge, Foss, Kelley, Murphy and Chairman Mullins—5.

Noes: None.

Absent: None.

JOHN F. MULLINS,
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Attest: JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
(Seal.) By A. E. JOHNSTONE, Deputy Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Anna Byrne, sometimes known and described as Annie Byrne and as Anne Byrne, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Charles E. Kehoe and Francis W. Kehoe, administrators of the estate of Anna Byrne, sometimes known and described as Annie Byrne and as Anne Byrne, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrators at the office of John J. McDonald, room 605, Oakland Bank of Savings Building, Oakland, California, which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Anna Byrne, sometimes known and described as Annie Byrne and as Anne Byrne, deceased.

CHARLES E. KEHOE,
FRANCIS W. KEHOE,
Administrators of the estate of Anna Byrne, sometimes known and described as Annie Byrne and as Anne Byrne, deceased.

Dated: Oakland, January 24, 1912.

HELLER, POWERS & EHRMANN and JOHN J. McDONALD, Attorneys for Administrators.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Cresta, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Joseph Cresta, deceased, and for the issuance to Calmelita Cresta of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 19th day of February, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, February 6, 1912.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. W. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.

DIBERT & STIEFVATER, Bacon Bldg., Oakland, Cal., Attorney for Petitioner.

Dated, Oakland, January 26, 1912.

JOHN J. McDONALD, room 605, Oakland Bank of Savings Bldg., Oakland, California, Attorney for Administrator.

NOTICE.

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. John Harrigan, on and after February 12, 1912.

JOHN HARRIGAN.

State of California, County of Alameda—ss.

Witness to signature of John Harrigan, Andrew J. Nor.

On this 15th day of February, 1912, personally appeared before me Andrew J. Nor, who, being deposed, swore that John Harrigan, whose signature is written above, signed this document in his presence.

(SEAL) V. D. STUART,
Notary Public in and for county of Alameda, State of California.
My commission expires Jan. 7, 1913.

NOTICE OF PLEDGEE'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of February, 1912, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at the banking room of the CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK, northeast corner of Fourteenth and Broadway streets, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, one hundred (100) shares of the capital stock of the WETMORE-BOWEN COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, or so much of said stock as may be necessary to pay the indebtedness now due said bank by the pledgee of said stock, and for which indebtedness said stock is now held as collateral security by the said Central National Bank.

H. A. MOSHER,
Cashier Central National Bank.

Dated: Oakland, Cal., February 14, 1912.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of James Ford, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of James Ford, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of John J. McDonald, Attorney-at-Law, room 605, Oakland Bank of Savings Building, Oakland, California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of James Ford, deceased.

P. A. COX,
Administrator of the estate of James Ford, deceased.

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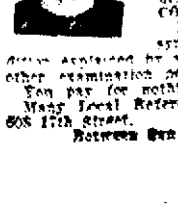

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Referees Flirt With the Fight Promoters; Oakland Team Secures a Fast Infielder

THIRD MAN PROBLEM HOLDS THE ATTENTION OF FISTIANA

Rival Showmen Across the Bay Unable to Decide on Washington's Birthday Ring Event Arbiters

Washington's birthday this leap year is not going down into fight history under a handicap of bashfulness. There will be more pugnacious proposals made to the fans of the bay region by the promoters of fistiana than ever before, and a diversity of choice will be offered every bashful sport. In San Francisco, as everybody knows, there are two big glove events billed at rival arenas, while down in the city of Angels the perennially Foxy Attell will defend his championship title against Johnny Kilbane, conqueror of the sensational Rivers.

As usual, when there isn't much else to talk about, the promoters are stirring up a muss over the referee question, just in order to keep their headliners before the public. Jack Welsh is occupying the center of the limelight just now. He is modestly considering several offers to adorn the padded arena in the role of third man on the holiday, and up to date he has been unable to arrive at a definite decision, although he has promised Abe Attell that he will arbitrate his dispute with the Cleveland killjoy.

But Jack is fond of San Francisco. He admits that. And if he can make the proper arrangements—whatever that may mean—he will beg out of his promise to Abe and overlook the Klaus-Petroskey mixup.

Promoter O'Connell is anxious to have the trans-bay expert officiate at his show and is willing to go the southrons one better in the way of inducements, for he finds the array of desirable referees decidedly limited in these parts, and some of those who might be considered as eligibles are persona non grata with interested parties in next week's mills.

Harry Foley, for instance, is not acceptable to Klaus' manager, George Engle, because he insists that Foley has been connected with the training of Petroskey.

James Coffroth is not giving vent to any expressions of worry about the referee problem for his Britton-Welsh event at Daly City, and it is generally believed that either Eddie Hanlon or Harry Foley will arbitrate for him.

Britton and Welsh both worked in their gymnasiums yesterday afternoon, Britton did six rounds—three with Kirkwood and three with Frankie Edwards. After the workouts Jack's sparring partners confided to some of the visitors, that the master of Frankie Burns has one of the most jarring punches ever developed by a lightweight. It is described as a dead jar which shakes the entire anatomy of its recipient and makes his spine fairly quiver in his body. If the Welshman can't steer clear of these punches it is predicted that he will have a hard time preserving his status as a championship possibility. Nevertheless he will probably enter the ring a pronounced favorite. But if Britton can get into the action his bone-cruncher, which is said to be similar to the one that once made Jeffries famous—he will be a dangerous factor at all stages of the contest.

Klaus and Petroskey put in some strenuous exercise yesterday afternoon, and both showed in excellent form. One thing is certain. Their meeting will be a hurricane affair, if it is not terminated by a lucky punch at the very outset.

Herb White of Los Angeles was declared the winner last night before the Hub City club of Stockton in the fourth round of a scheduled ten round go with Tommy McFarland of San Francisco. The bout was stopped to save McFarland from being knocked out. Wolgast kidney punches by White proved the San Francisco boys undoing.

Ade Zoite of Stockton and Roy Moore of San Francisco fought a close ten round draw.

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Clarence Ferns of Kansas City knocked out Dave Deshler of Boston in the ninth round of a scheduled ten round fight before the Grand avenue athletic club, in Kansas City last night.

Ferns led from the tap of the gong to the knockout, outclassing the Boston boy completely. After two minutes fighting in the ninth, Ferns, drawing Deshler from cover, shot in repeated body blows and floored the Boston man with a hard left to the jaw.

After the fight club officials announced that Ferns would be matched with Ray Bronson of Indianapolis for the welterweight championship. The bout will take place here next month.

"Gunboat" Smith and Charlie Horn, the young Mission heavyweight, fought a four round draw at Dreamland last night. Horn kept out of the way of Smith's right and put up an aggressive fight. He was seemingly undaunted by his former setback at the sailor's hands. The tar was not there with much speed and he sustained his reputation for unreliability. If it were not for the mouse heart in his lion's body, Smith might be a near champion.

Abdul the Turk thought he was a goat in the second round of his brawl with Cleve Hankins, colored, and butted his dusky opponent. Thereupon the referee disqualified the Ottoman and gave Hankins the verdict. Then the Mussulman and the Ethiopian tangled in a rough and tumble, and the services of three policemen were required to tear them apart.

This was not all the rough stuff on the bill. Willie Purtell was arrested as he entered the pavilion for creating a disturbance at the door and Promoter Parente had to put up bail for him in order that the program be unimpaired. When Purtell got into the ring Jimmie Fitten handed him a severe lacing and easily took the decision from him.

Rufus Williams, once known as the colored demon, was in poor form and Willie Meehan, making his debut as a middleweight, won a decision over him.

In the other bouts Frank Regan knocked out Doc Barkelow in the second round and Dummy Thomas knocked out Kid Romeo in the second round.

Rufe Turner was given a decision over Abe Label, and Joe Livermore also earned a decision from Dixie Kid.

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"Cyclone" Johnny Thompson, the American middleweight pugilist, today knocked out Jack Lester of Clelum, Washington, the former heavyweight champion of Australia in the 20th round of a bout at Sidney, Australia. Lester was leading on points when he received the knockout blow.

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Bantam Champion Johnny Coulon and Frankie Burns of New Jersey finished their training today for the championship fight of 20 rounds. Both are reported in excellent condition. Coulon is an 8 to 5 favorite.

ROLLER POLO TEAMS TO MEET AT VALLEJO

VALLEJO, Feb. 17.—The Vallejo champion rink roller polo team will meet the Dreamland Rink team of San Francisco in the first of several games here tomorrow. The first contest will be held at 2:30 p. m. in the afternoon and the other at 9 o'clock in the evening. The Dreamland team depends on its fast player, Richardson, the champion skater of the coast, to score their points. He will hold down the position of first rush and will be opposed by Woods.

INTERNATIONAL BOWLING TOURNEY AT MILWAUKEE

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 17. — It was decided last night that Milwaukee shall have the next international bowling tournament. Minneapolis was the only other contestant

CORNELL OUTSWIMS AMHERST ATHLETES

AMHERST, Mass., Feb. 17. — Cornell defeated Amherst in a dual swimming meet yesterday by one point. A victory in the 200-yard relay race by six inches was responsible for Carroll's success.

TURKISH WRESTLER PUTS SAMSON ON HIS BACK

JACKSON, Mich., Feb. 17. — Yussiff Hussane won two straight falls from Henri Samson here last night in 31 and 11 minutes, respectively. Hussane weighed 190 pounds and Samson 226

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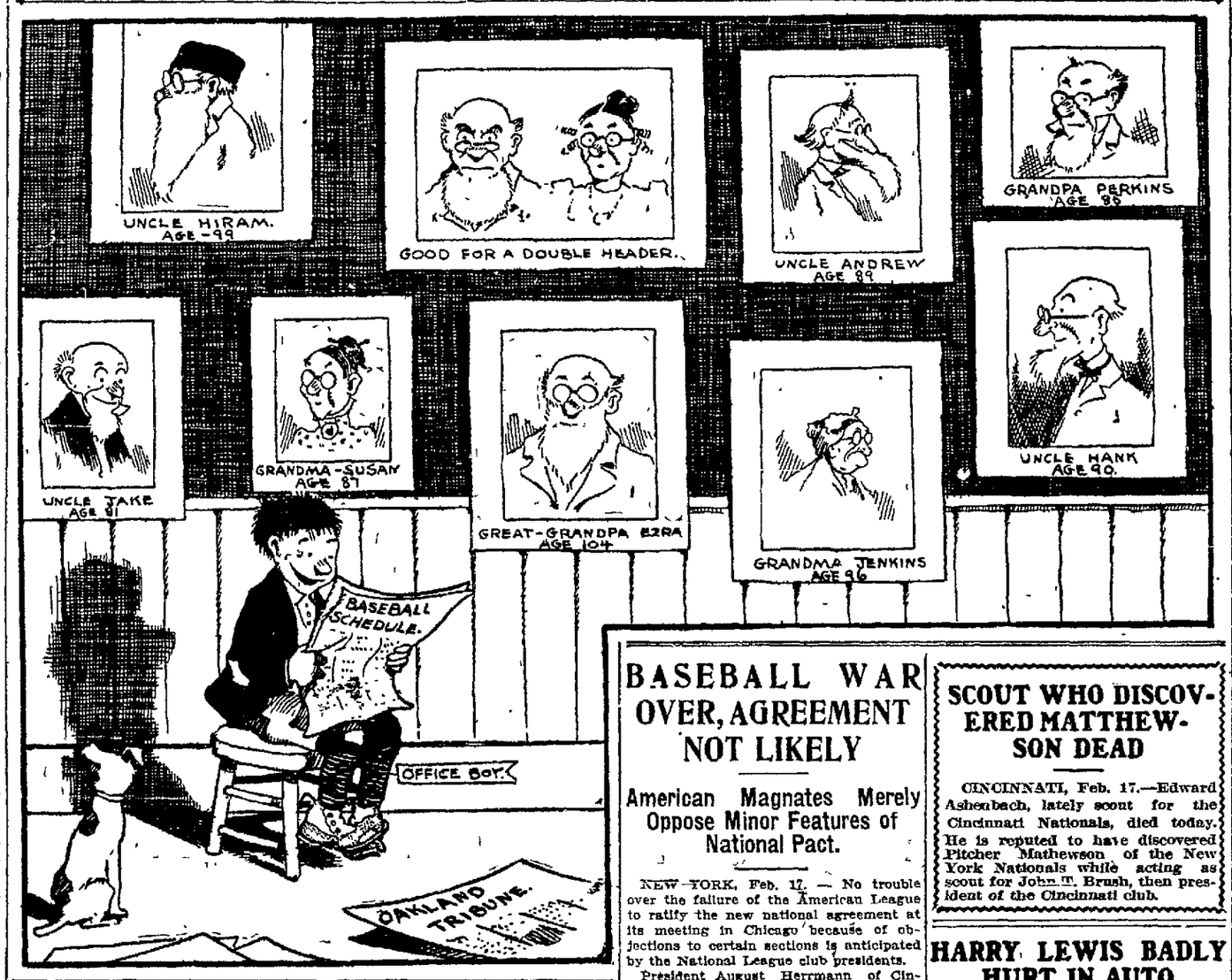

OAKLAND HIGH FIVE TAKES SCALP OF WOODLAND

Local Players Even Up Score With Upstate Basketball Experts.

The Oakland High School basketball team defeated the Woodland High squad yesterday afternoon by the score of 32 to 17 in a return game played in the Oakland High gymnasium. Woodland defeated Oakland by the score of 17 to 13, but Oakland showed much improvement, and had an easy time of it.

Gonzales scored 7 field goals for Oakland and Whitton threw 3 field and 4 free goals. The two guards, Reynolds and Witter, who started the game and played most of the second half, were mainly responsible for Woodland's low score. Wraith, Stoie and Stevens did the scoring for the visitors. At the end of the first half the score was 22 to 4 in favor of Oakland.

Oakland High will play Oakland Poly next Wednesday afternoon at the St Mary's gymnasium. This will be the annual game of the two schools and will be under the management of the Bay Counties Athletic League.

Oakland High and Berkeley High will probably play their annual game in Harmon gymnasium at U. C. on March 1.

The players in yesterday's game were:

Oakland High—Whitton and Gonzales (Van Deren), forwards, Pedlar (Hunt), center; Reynolds (Waddell), Witten, guard.

Woodland High—Browning and Stevens, forward; Stoll, center; Wraith, captain, and Nixon, guards.

Referee—McCarl.

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The Oakland High School 110-pound basketball team will play the Columbia Park Boy's team in the semi-finals of the Pacific Athletic League Basketball tournament. The game will be played in the San Francisco Y. M. C. A. gymnasium at 7 o'clock this evening. Both teams are very fast and a bitterly contested game is expected. The Oakland team has not lost a game yet this season, and the Park boys have an especially good record.

CLEVELAND TRADES H. STOVALL TO THE CARDINALS

CLEVELAND, Feb. 17. — George Stovall, first baseman of the Cleveland American league club, who as manager of the organization last summer met with considerable success, today was traded to the St. Louis Americans for Lefty George, a promising left-handed pitcher.

PLAN EXTENSION OF FOOTHILL BOULEVARD

MISSION SAN JOSE, Feb. 17.—Delegates from various civic and commercial organizations in Alameda county will meet here late this afternoon to boost the movement to extend the Foothill boulevard from Hayward to the Santa Clara county line, near Warm Springs

Resolutions will be drawn up and presented to the board of supervisors Every effort will be made to have the proposed road constructed and a committee will be appointed to wait upon the board when the petition is presented. The movement is under the leadership of Henry Lachman, of this place. Delegates from the Oakland Chamber of Commerce and the San Jose Chamber of Commerce will be in attendance

TO LECTURE ON TRUSTS.

Howard H. Caldwell of Ohio will lecture at Hamilton auditorium, Thirteenth and Jefferson streets, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. His subject will be the trust question from a Socialist's viewpoint.

AN EPIDEMIC OF COUGHING.

is sweeping over the town. Old and young alike are affected, and the strain is particularly hard on little children and elderly people Foley's Honey and Tar compound is a quick, safe and reliable cure for all coughs and colds Contains no opiates Wishart's drug store, corner Tenth and Washington streets.

WRESTLER THROWN OFF STAGE; RIBS SMASHED

LA CROSSE, Wis., Feb. 17.—A wrestling match between Walter Miller of St. Paul and Jack Little of Milwaukee, middleweights, was brought to an abrupt end here tonight after 21 minutes of wrestling before any fall had been made, when Little was shoved off the stage into the orchestra pit of the theater in which the bout was held.

Little, it was thought, fractured several ribs, and the bout was called off.

ALL DOGS MUST BE MUZZLED

Police Told to Be on Lookout for the Poisoner of Animals.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Chief of Police White this morning issued drastic orders relative to the conduct of dog owners in San Francisco. Hereafter all dogs must be muzzled and leashed.

Officers have been ordered to be on the lookout for the dog poisoner who has been responsible for the death of more than a score of valuable dogs. Seven instances of poisoning have been officially reported and at least 20 more have died without the police being notified. After a meeting of the Pacific Humane Society last night resolutions were passed decrying the present killing of dogs, and a special officer was detailed to patrol on Devisadero and Washington streets in the neighborhood of Pacific Heights, where most of the deaths have occurred

PRESIDENT MOORE COMING TOMORROW

Official Panama-Pacific Flag Will Fly in His Honor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17—C. W. Hunt of New York, secretary of the American Society of Engineers, is in San Francisco for the purpose of interviewing President Moore and the local members of the society as to the advisability of holding their international congress here in 1915 during the fair. He had charge of the congress held in St. Louis during the Louisiana Purchase Exposition

The official Panama-Pacific flag, which is to be flown by the steamships of the world will be hoisted over the exposition building at Fine and Battery streets, in honor of the return of President Moore, who is to reach this city tomorrow. The flag was donated to the exposition company. The steamship companies that embark from this port have agreed to fly the flag and the steamer Cleveland will fly the exposition colors in nearly every port of prominence in the world

When President Moore arrives tomorrow he will have with his Frederick J. Swift, director in chief of foreign and domestic participation for the Panama-Pacific exposition.

BASEBALL WAR OVER, AGREEMENT NOT LIKELY

American Magnates Merely Oppose Minor Features of National Pact.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17. — No trouble over the failure of the American League to ratify the new national agreement at its meeting in Chicago because of objections to certain sections is anticipated by the National League club presidents.

President August Herrmann of Cincinnati said:

"I received several telegrams today from Ban Johnson that the American League merely objects to a few minor points in the agreement. The matter is nothing of importance and can readily be fixed up by the two leagues"

President Lynch saw no reason to believe that the American League objected to the spirit of the new national agreement.

"To tell the truth," said Mr. Lynch, "several members of our own league were in favor of making changes in the agreement, but as the commission spent the greater part of the winter on it, they decided to let it stand. There will be no trouble in having some of these objectionable clauses changed and this can be readily accomplished by a mail vote.

PHILLIES HAVE AN INFANT PRODIGY AS BACKSTOP

Horace Fogel and Charles Dooin of the Phillies have sold Outfielder Fred Beck to Buffalo and returned Pitcher Hall to Tacoma, Wash, and Pitcher Stanley to Johnstown

In addition, they announced that they have obtained "control" of the services of Willie Loan, captain of the Southern Manual Training School nine, who bows under the weight of seventeen long years of life on this planet. The kiddo is a catcher.

Loan is an infant in the eyes of the law and his guardian did not sign a contract on his ward's behalf This omission was not an accident. It was done to preserve Willie's amateur status. Willie is a wise little gink, and doesn't want to queer himself in athletics.

Of course, it is hardly likely that Loan will catch Alexander, Moore or Chalmers next season. It may be two or three years before he actually gets a trial, but when he is ripe the Phillies get first call on his services.

The purchase of Charles C Cravath caused the shunting of Beck to the minors. With Magee, Paskert, Titus and Cravath available, there was no room for Beck.

The last named joined the Phillies last year when the season was half over. He was needed to plug the holes in Dooin's bursted outfield, and Fogel had to give Garry Hermann a big check to land the man.

Beck is a long distance hitter, but not a steady hitter. Long raps and an iron arm let him out. As for inside baseball or the fine points of the game, Beck didn't know as much as a visigoth. On the paths he was as reckless as a sailor on shore leave Sometimes he thought he was as fast as Ty Cobb, and in one game he was thrown out half way to second base while trying to advance from first to third on a single to left.

Manager Dooin might have worried more with Beck had he not shown a positive dislike toward knowledge. Any suggestion from the commander-in-chief was viewed with an arctic weather leer.

Up in Buffalo, George Stallings, who is somewhat of a Simon Legree, will endeavor to put Beck on the right road. He is young and can hit, and Stallings may be able to coach him into a winner.

According to the agreement Fogel has with Buffalo, Beck can be pulled back by the Phils on forty-eight hours' notice.

Pitcher Hall is returned to Tacoma. He wasn't in good shape in the short time he was with the team last season, the climate didn't agree with him. Stanley didn't receive a thorough trial, but had small chance of landing a place on the Phils' all star staff He goes back to Johnstown to gull the hitters in Mr. Carpenter's prosperous circuit

It is said that Pitcher Rube Marquard of the Giants is a hold-out. Rube says he has picked up a barrel of coin this winter doing a vaudeville stunt.

The International League will have two catchers named Harry Smith, the coming season One of the backstops is with the Newark team, the other with Buffalo

At last we have the real thing in baseball scouts During the coming season Detroit will have scouts who will work under [illegible] league managers will now be on the lookout for false whiskers.

Presidential election year, six weeks more of winter, the high cost of living and the National League magnates meet on the 15th of the month. And still Harry Wolverton says there is no such thing as a jinx.

Manager Jimmy Burke of the Indianapolis team called on President Hedges in St Louis recently, and asked the Browns' boss to set a price on Pitcher "Lefty" George. "You can have him for $32,500, and not a cent less," said the club owner. (Business of Goose Hill Jim taking it on the run for Indianapolis.)

McLEAN AND BUSH CAPTURE SKATING CLASSICS

BOSTON, Feb 17. — The final heats of the big international amateur indoor ice skating championship tonight brought together many of the best skaters in this country and Canada. Hobart McLean of Chicago won the two distance events, the mile and two miles as well as the half-mile, while O. B. Bush, Canadian champion, captured the 220-yard in 26 1-5 seconds, and took second in the one and two-mile events.

SCOUT WHO DISCOVERED MATTHEWSON DEAD

CINCINNATI, Feb. 17.—Edward Ashenbach, lately scout for the Cincinnati Nationals, died today. He is reputed to have discovered Pitcher Mathewson of the New York Nationals while acting as scout for John T. Brush, then president of the Cincinnati club.

HARRY LEWIS BADLY HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Fight fans of America will learn with regret that Harry Lewis met with a very serious accident as a result of a taxicab collision with a motor omnibus Together with his manager, Jim Harris, and trainer, Bert Wood, Lewis was speeding down Ludgate hill when at the bottom of the steep incline the lumbering 'bus cut across the track and a terrific crash followed. Lewis was jammed against the side of the cab Harris was shot through the door, Wood smashed to a pulp. All three were taken in an unconscious state to the nearest hospital, where it was proposed to detain them. Later in the night Lewis insisted upon being removed to his hotel, and though suffering great pain, his wishes were complied with The injuries are far more serious than was at first thought. Lewis has sustained a terrible injury to his right leg and may never be able to take the ring again. Besides this he is still feeling the effects of the shock and his medical advisers are doubtful whether the blow to his nervous system may not be permanent.

In view of many engagements made for him in the near future, the misfortune strikes Lewis hard, yet he is full of good spirits and is more concerned about his two companions than himself.

Quite an army of sports have visited the famous Philadelphia boxer and if anything more was wanted to testify to his great popularity here, it can be found in the column of our sporting newspapers.

The proposed return contest between Lewis and George Carpentier on February 15 at Nice is of course now out of the question and it will be many months before he will be in anything like proper shape for boxing.

HIGH SCORES MADE BY CALIFORNIANS AT OGDEN MEET

OGDEN, Utah, Feb 17. — High scores marked the touring tournament shoot held here this afternoon in which the Spokane team was victorious by a score of 191 to 190 for the San Francisco team Willett was high man with 96 Score:

Spokane, 191—Poston, 94; Acker, 97.

San Francisco, 190—Willett, 96, Randlett, 92.

Portland, 176—P. Holohan, 92; G. Holohan, 89.

CORNELL DOWNS TIGERS.

PRINCETON, N J, Feb. 17. — The Princeton basketball team was defeated by Cornell here, 32 to 18

TEXAS WHIRLWIND WANTS WARES' SHOES

Cook of the Champion Austin Team Likely Candidate for Shortstop Berth.

There should be a lively scramble for the position of shortstop on the Oaks this spring and among those who will make a strong bid for the place will be Shortstop A. W. Cook, secured by the Oaks from the champion Austin team of the Texas league Cook is regarded as a likely candidate for "Kid" Wares' former job and, according to all accounts, he will make a hot fight for the position. He may not be as flashy as the "Kid" but he is a fast, reliable fielder and, in addition, is a good man on the bags as is shown by the fact that he was lead-off man at Austin throughout the season and scored 85 runs in 142 games, stealing 31 bases. Cook has been recommended by several good judges of players and one of his sponsors on whom ex-Manager Wolverton of the Oaks relied considerably when he made the deal for Cook was Pitcher Jack Warhop of the New York Highlanders who formerly played in the same league with the Oakland recruit Warhop, when asked about the man, assured Wolverton that Cook should make good in this company and it is believed that with fair luck he will do so. Cook is a Chicago resident.

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Another likely infielder who will be on the Oaks' squad when training season opens is James Frick, of last year's line-up of the Troy Club, New York State League Frick comes to Oakland with the recommendation of Harry Wolverton and Bud Sharp, both of whom have seen him perform and are impressed favorably with his ability. He should prove a valuable utility man, even if he fails to earn a place in the regular lineup, as he is said to play short, second or third with equal ability

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Manager Bud Sharp had several of his hopefuls limbering up at the Grove street resort yesterday afternoon Izzy Hoffman, Elmer Zacher, and Kilroy tossed the pill around at a lively pace for a while, and the squad indulged in several runs around the park There was no very strenuous exercise but the tossers limbered up considerably, and with a continuance of the ideal weather that has prevailed lately the players now on the ground will be in pretty fair shape by the time the real training season begins

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George Cutshaw left yesterday for Hot Springs, Ark., where he will report for spring practice with the Brooklyn National league team. Cutty will arrive at the training grounds on February 20. Charley Ebbetts evidently intends to waste no time in sizing up his recruits.

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Carl Lewis, former catcher for the Oaks, is said to be the star receiver of the Northwestern league now. Lewis is credited with playing an important part in the capture of the pennant by Vancouver last season. Carl must have improved greatly since he left here.

CRACK SWIMMERS TO COMPETE IN A. A. U. CHAMPIONSHIP

ST LOUIS, Feb 17 — Four entries for the national championship plunge of the Amateur Athletic Union, which will be held tonight at the Missouri Athletic club swimming pool, have been announced They are Millard Kaiser, present champion; Meredith Stockton and David Stannard of the Missouri A. C., and Paul Lichter of Illinois university. Kaiser's record of 25 feet and 11 inches was recently broken in college circles.

COLUMBIA BASKETBALL TEAM TROUNCES ELI

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MORNING TRIBUNE.
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LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—English setter bitch, about ten months old. Inquire 4640 Congress ave., Melrose, Cal.

LOST—Canadian bull; brindle with white face and legs, white saddle and white strip on tail; answers to the name of Kem; last seen running up 4th ave. after lady on horseback; reward. George H. Collided, 1103 3d ave.; phone Merritt 4203.

LOST—Wednesday night, between Steinway Terrace and East Oakland, a portion of Masonic brooch, double eagle with diamond center; 32d degree; reward. Phone Merritt 876.

LOST—Feb. 14, medium sized black curly dog, white breast, answers to name of Puppy; leather collar, license No. 4201 right foreleg; substantial reward. 1124 8th st.

LOST—Wednesday night, between Steinway Terrace and East Oakland, a portion of Masonic brooch double eagle with diamond center, 32d degree; reward. Merritt 876.

LOST—Thursday, near Key Route station, 40th and Broadway, small package valuable white lace; reward 248 Ridgeway ave.; phone Piedmont 4687.

LOST—A gold watch and fob, Tuesday afternoon. Please return to 291 Lenox ave.; phone Oakland 3247; reward.

LOST—Black cocker spaniel; license No. 5721. Please notify owner at 1131 Linden st; phone Oakland 7307.

LOST—west of Grove st., Knight of Columbus watch fob; reward. Return 1216 Delaware, West Berkeley.

LOST—Delta Sigma Theta sorority pin; 13 pearls. Phone Piedmont 567; reward.

MASSAGE

AAA — MISS BERNARD—Steam baths and electric massage; Van's Mexican hair restorative; select patronage only. 421 15th st., Oakland.

AA—MISS VERNA COLLINS gives genuine massage, steam and hot tub baths, salt glow; one call means another; don't mistake the number, 1611 Telegraph

AA—MISS GONZALES—Hot tub baths, electric and magnetic massage. 419 15th.

ALCOHOL massage. Room 20, 469½ 8th st., Hotel Lloyd, Miss Wilson.

AA—MISS BELLE LESLIE, massage. 512½ 8th st., room 7, Hotel Avery.

ALCOHOL treatment given by German lady 472 8th st., room 4.

ALCOHOL massage. Brunswick Hotel, 9th and Washington, r. 11; Miss Stein.

ALICE MANSFIELD—Vibratory and alcohol massage. Room 27, 363A 12th st.

ALCOHOL massage. Room 2, Brunswick Hotel, 9th-Washington; Miss Hermann.

BATHS and scientific massage. Room 18, The Astoria, cor. 8th and Washington.

FRANKIE WILLIAMS — Electric magnetic. 116 Turk st., r. 1, San Francisco.

HOT salt water baths and massage. Lula Circle, 423 15th st; private; no sign.

LEONE BUELL—Massage and baths. 1165½ Washington, room 28.

MABEL CLIFFORD, massage. 512 Broadway (new No. 528), cor. 6th, suite 17.

MISS DAVIS—Massage and magnetic treatment. 1961 Sutter, room 112, S. F.

MAY RICHARDS—Alcohol and magnetic massage. 528 12th st., rm. 202 2d floor.

MASSAGE, manicuring, vibratory treatment. 1122 Market st., room 6, S. F.

MISS GORDON, alcohol treatments. 472 8th, room 25, second floor.

ST. FRANCIS vapor bath vibratory oil massage, magnetic scalp treatment. 1979 Sutter st., Apt. 5.

SCALP treatments, alcohol oil massage 12 Telegraph, Apt. 16, first floor.

TREATMENTS for face, scalp, rheumatism, nervousness, stomach trouble, steam baths. Du Chenne, 1258 O'Farrell st., San Francisco; phone West 6831.

HAIR DRESSING

LEARN beauty culture at the California School of Hairdressing; diplomas and formulas given; individual instructions. 967½ Market st., near Empress Theater, bet. 5th and 6th sts., San Francisco.

NOTARY PUBLIC

AA — V. D. STUART, notary public; money to loan. Tribune office, 8th and Franklin; phone Oakland 528.

MEETING NOTICES

MRS. DR. TERRY, spiritual trance medium; readings daily; mining a specialty; satisfaction guaranteed; circle Sunday and Thursday evenings. 1169 Brush st., cor. 14th. Circle tonight.

SCIOTS, Oakland Pyramid No. 2, meet Monday evening, 8 o'clock, Metropole Hotel; all Master Masons in good standing eligible to join; charter open one month only.

PERSONALS

AAA—PROF. J. E. SHAW
clairvoyant, true and reliable, tells your full name, gives advice upon all affairs of life, love, marriage, divorce, business, adjusts family troubles, wills, estates, removes evil influences, reunites those separated. Full readings, 50c.
HOURS, 9 A. M. TO 9 P. M.
584 12th st., next Orpheum Theater.
REMEMBER NAME AND NUMBER.

ANY poor girl in need of a friend, a home or advice, is invited to call or write the matron of The Salvation Army Home, Beulah Heights, Cal.; phone Merritt 3827.

AA—KOTTER materializing tonight, 8 p. m.; physical manifestation in full light. 477 10th st.

GAS Consumers' Association reduces your bill 15% to 30%. 364 12th st.

L. S. CLARK, Atty.-at-Law, 701 Jackson st.—Consultation free; open evenings.

MME STANLEY, clairvoyant-palmist, permanently located 1028 Washington, opp. Hale's.

MME. DE SALONIKA, clairvoyant, card reader. 521 Clay st., near 6th.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

A YOUNG, RAPIDLY GROWING REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE COMPANY NEEDS THE SERVICES OF AN ENERGETIC YOUNG MAN OF GOOD CONNECTIONS, WITH SOME KNOWLEDGE OF THE BUSINESS; A GOOD PROPOSITION TO THE PARTY PROVING HIS MERIT. BOX 1251, TRIBUNE.

ATTENTION, Employers and Employes: We fill responsible positions with efficient help, references of applicants thoroughly investigated. Commercial Efficiency and Reference Co., 238 Bacon Bldg.

ACCOUNTANTS, stenographers, salesman, promoters, mechanical engineers. Apply Fidelity Rerefence and Surety Co., 20 Bacon Bldg.; phone Oakland 1307.

A GOOD, sober, all-round restaurant cook wanted; $50 a month. Apply East Oakland Hotel, cor. 12th ave. and E. 12th st.

AUTOMOBILE engineering school, 57th and Adeline st., Oakland; driving and repairing.

BOY of neat appearance, willing, about 18 years of age; must have bicycle. Good opportunity for advancement. Apply advertising dept. Oakland Tribune Monday morning at 8 o'clock prepared for work.

GENTLEMEN or ladies for fraternal promotion work; meet the best people, earn $5 or more a day; large and growing order. Call 308 Bacon Block, 9-12 a. m.

JANITOR for small club rooms, man to live on premises preferred. Apply today, 1824 Grove, cor. 19th.

LEARN barber trade; wages while learning. Cal. Barber College, 145 3d st., S. F.

MEN and women learn the barber trade, wages while learning. International Barber School, 790 Howard st., San Francisco.

PROFITABLE trade taught in two weeks 417 Montgomery st., room 402, S. F.

WANTED—A1 experienced collector; use motorcycle; well acquainted with Oakland and adjoining towns; permanent place and good pay to right party. Box B-798, Tribune.

WANTED—Young man of good address in real estate business; excellent opportunity to right party. Apply room 110, Bacon Bldg.

WANTED—Salesman of ability and neat appearance; reference required. Call 9 to 11 a. m., at 536 16th st., near San Pablo.

WANTED—Salesman and experienced solicitors by an old established house; salary and commission. Box B-799, Tribune.

WANTED—Several young men as salesmen; experience unnecessary. Box B-788, Tribune.

WANTED—Boys for messenger service, with bicycles; $1 per day. Western Union Telegraph Co., 1120 Broadway.

WANTED—Zither teacher to give lesson on Sunday. 2306 McGee ave., Berkeley.

LIQUOR CURE.

MEN, TAKE NOTICE—Liquor disease cured in three weeks at small cost by Connelley's Liquor Cure; in past 18 years over 10,000 cases successfully treated, ask for testimonials. 1127 26th ave.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

AT the Success, 1256 Broadway, room 221—Cooks, $50; nurses, $30; chambermaids, second girls, house girls, $35 and $40. Phones Oakland 737, A 3013.

A NEAT reliable girl, general housework and cooking; references. Call bet. 2 and 4 Monday, 118 18th st.

A YOUNG lady of neat appearance wishes position as stenographer. Phone Oakland 6272.

A GIRL for general housework. 309 Walker ave.; phone Oakland 2381.

COOKS, second girls and general housework waitresses and chambermaids, one matron for institution. W. E. E., 1256 Broadway, phones Oakland 3359, A. 4959.

COMPETENT help wanted. Mrs. Nelson's Employment Agency, 1256 Broadway; phones Oakland 1945, A 5664.

GIRLS wanted at Berkeley Employment Bureau, wages $20 to $40. 2130 Shattuck ave., Berkeley; phone Berkeley 5626.

GIRL wanted to assist in general housework in country, good home for right party; wages $15. Call 110 E. 14th st.

GIRLS to learn telegraphing, salaries $50 to $100, at 1322 Broadway, room 39.

JAPANESE employment and house-cleaning office, 319 7th st.; Oak. 3916, A 4708.

MIDDLE-AGED German woman for cooking and housework in small German family. 1323 Market st.

NEAT girl for housework, one that sleeps home preferred. Ring Oakland 8310.

SECOND GIRL; references; wages $30. Phone Merritt 3806.

WANTED—Ladies to learn hairdressing and beauty culture; big money for those who mean business. Oakland College of Hairdressing, room 22, Blake block, Washington st. between 11th and 12th.

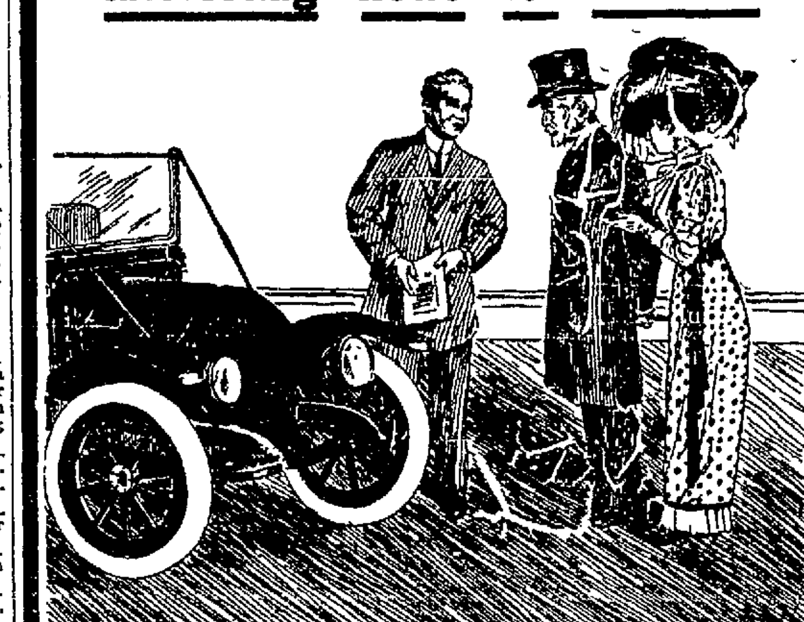
WANTED—Woman or girl to assist in light housework; good home, family of 2, small wages. Call or address 3726 Emerson st., near 4th ave. car; phone Home B-1694.

WANTED—Reliable girl for housework and cooking, 4 in family, wages $25. 288 E. 16th st.; phone Merritt 2678.

WANTED—Middle aged, refined couple to care for two children, ages 5 and 7, in exchange for rent of furnished four-room modern house. Call 576 22d st., after 5 30 p m. Phone Oak 4925

WANTED—A girl for housework in small family, short distance in country, a chance for an education and moderate wages Phone Oakland 3469

Interesting News for Autoists



AUTOMOBILE opportunities are at hand for auto owners and prospective owners—chances to secure new cars, exchange or realize cash, realty or security for old cars.

To get a complete list of the auto chances call on the Want columns for they contain from time to time lists of cars that are for sale and exchange as well as the announcements of automobile dealers, repair shops, garages and other information of vital interest to all auto owners and prospective owners.

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WANT ADS DO THE WORK
Home A 2151 PHONES Oakland 528

HELP WANTED—FEMALE:
(Continued)

WANTED—Girl for general housework and cooking; two in family. Apply mornings only. Mrs. Shafran, 602 Walsworth ave

WANTED—Smart young girl to assist in light housework. Apply 363 62d st.; phone Piedmont 976.

WOMAN take orders. Call before noon tomorrow, room 218, Central Bank Bldg.

WANTED—Stenographer; wages to start, $6 per week. Box 1468, Tribune.

WANTED—Two competent waitresses Apply 573 14th st

YOUNG girl or middle-aged lady for light housework; no children. 646 14th st.

SITUATIONS WANTED.
MALE

A YOUNG gentleman of 21 years wishes position in real estate or insurance office; plenty of references and recommendations. Box 1573, Tribune.

A JAPANESE, first-class laundry man, wants position in family, Oakland or Piedmont; has very good experience. Ben. 252 5th st.; phone Oakland 7445.

AUTOMOBILES repaired in owner's home by expert repairer; anything that burns gas. Stoker, 517 7th st.; Oakland 1843.

AN experienced Japanese boy wishes position in family as cook or waiter Phone Oakland 6351; Frank.

ANYONE in need of a bookkeeper or collector, please address "Collector," 1525 6th ave., East Oakland

A JAPANESE boy desires work few hours in the morning and evening. Phone Oakland 6082; P. Toku.

A YOUNG American wishes position around private house as handy man. Box 1481, Tribune.

BUTCHER, reliable, experienced, sober shop-man, married, wants position. Box 1458, Tribune.

COLORED man and wife want situations; man first-class meat and pastry cook, wife waitress or help in kitchen. Address 2015 (new No) Linden st., Oakland, or 1704 7th st.; phone A 5569.

CARPENTER, handy man, does rough carpentering, painting, builds fences, chicken corrals, shacks, repairs roofs; rooms tinted, $3 up. Edwards, phone Piedmont 3440.

COMPETENT chauffeur, mechanic, wants steady work in private family, city or country; prefer Pierce-Arrow or other high-grade car; ref. Box B-701, Tribune.

COLORED gentleman would like housecleaning or washing windows by the day. Phone Oakland 8232.

COLORED man wishes general housecleaning in private family. Phone Oakland 8232.

GOOD Japanese boy wants position as cook and houseworker. Phone Oakland 8755.

GARDENER wants work by day or week. Write 20 Austin st., Fruitvale.

JAPANESE wants position as cook or dishwasher, after 5 o'clock, near 54th and Grove. Phone Piedmont 4606

PAINTING, tinting, varnishing done by day or job; phone evening after 6 p. m. Merritt 3586.

PAINTING, graining, tinting, paper-hanging. Rees, 520 20th st; phone A 6804

WANTED—By carpenter, work; capable of estimating and taking charge. Box 1554, Tribune.

YOUNG man who is an experienced chauffeur and can make repairs, wishes position driving in private family. Box B-722, Tribune.

YOUNG Japanese boy wants position in family in Oakland or Berkeley; has had laundry experience. Phone Berkeley 5335.

SITUATIONS WANTED.
FEMALE

A POSITION as managing housekeeper, or will work by the month; in country. Mrs. O. Laughton, 3624 Galindo st, near Redwood road, Fruitvale; Merritt 1410

A JAPANESE school girl, neat and tidy, would like position in Christian home as housekeeper. 294 8th st; phones Oakland 4246, A 4376.

A NURSE with good references would care for an invalid or confinement case at her home. Phone Oakland 6506

AA—YOUNG lady stenographer wishes position in Oakland, references. Phone Oakland 3292.

A YOUNG lady wishes house-cleaning by day, $2; hours 8 to 5, good worker 556 20th st., phone A-4370.

A FIRST-CLASS laundress wishes work on Mondays and Wednesdays. Phone Oakland 3691.

A YOUNG lady of neat appearance wishes position as stenographer. Phone Oakland 6272.

A GIRL will work for 20c an hour at general housework. Address 533 Center st., Oakland

A SWEDISH girl wishes general housework, good worker, wages $25. Call 1709 55th st

RELIABLE woman wants washing, ironing or house-cleaning by the day, will go to Berkeley, Alameda or Fruitvale Phone evenings, Piedmont 5647.

SITUATIONS WANTED.
FEMALE—(Continued)

A REFINED Japanese girl wants work in family in Oakland. Phone Oakland 7445

A JAPANESE girl wants light work in a small family. Phone Oakland 7445.

COMPETENT, experienced stenographer wants position at once; references; $10 to begin. Box B 800, Tribune.

FIRST-CLASS dressmaker by day. Hotel Arcade; phone Oakland 2404, room 518; phone from 6 to 8 p. m.

GIRL for chambermaid. 617 17th st.; phone Oakland 7273.

I WISH to have half day's washing on Tuesday, or washing to take home. Mrs. Mary Hill, 776 6th st.

JAPANESE couple, wish place; cooking, table service and housework; $60 up. Phone Oakland 9549.

LAUNDRESS wishes washing, ironing or sweeping. Phone evenings, Piedmont 5437.

MAN and wife wish to care for country home; best of references. Inquire or write to Mr. Perry, 466 12th st., Oakland.

MIDDLE-AGED woman wishes housekeeping or plain cooking. 456 Rose st., Oakland.

REFINED, trustworthy woman would like position with invalid or elderly couple as companion and caretaker; understands duties of maid-and-a-neat housekeeper. Box B-761, Tribune.

REFINED German lady, 32 years old, desires position as housekeeper or companion; only first-class places. Box B-724, Tribune.

RELIABLE woman having own home will care for child evenings at either home; reference; reasonable. Phone Oakland 9076.

TWO colored girls want general house or day's work; experienced and willing to work for good wages. Phone Oakland 1723.

TWO Finnish girls wish to do general housework. Apply to 1261 Campbell st., West Oakland.

WOMAN wants housework in small family; good cook; wages $25. 931 San Pablo ave., near 19th st.

WOMAN wants position at housework in a small family. Box 1512, Tribune.

SALESMEN—SOLICITORS.

A LIVE and experienced salesman to take full charge of crew of salesmen; also several good, live wires to join crew on the sale of Kerman Irrigated Farm Land. A well-developed and populated tract; up-to-date in every respect; easy to interest buyers; no salaries or advances; men must be able to finance themselves, but liberal commission contract arranged. Apply W. L. Busk, sales department, Fresno Irrigated Farms Co., 506-8 Kohl Building, San Francisco.

EXPERIENCED solicitors; salary and commission. 600 14th st., Oakland.

WANTED—Few good outside salesmen; must be rustlers and have good references; good opportunity. Call Barlow & Co., 358 12th st.

WANTED — Solicitors; good proposition. Oakland Umbrella Factory, 525 16th st.

DAY & CONTRACT WORK

ALL kinds of repair work, cabinet and carpenter; day or contract; estimates given free; all work guaranteed. Shop, 4215 E. 14th st.; phone Merritt 563; Mayes & Robinson.

WOOD-CHOPPERS; cut any length, by cord or contract. Box 1597, Tribune.

MOVING AND STORAGE

AMERICAN TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.—Moving, storing and shipping. 465 8th st.; phones Oakland 4365, Home A-3662.

BEKINS
OF COURSE
1070 Broadway, near 12th st.

COOK-MORGAN Storing and Moving Co. —Furniture, pianos, merchandise, packing and shipping. Office, 502 14th st.; phone Oakland 3235.

LYON STORAGE AND MOVING CO— Packing and shipping 427 14th st., phones Oakland 2071, Home A-2071.

PEOPLES EXPRESS CO
Furniture moved, packed, shipped and stored; motor vans 632 13th st, phones Oakland 4447, A 2144

PRESCOTT Van and Storage Co.—Separate compartments, hauling free. Office 1115 23d ave, Merritt 482, B 1144

PRICES reduced, separate rooms, under lock Porter, 1220 Broadway, Oak. 5976.

MATERNITY HOME

COMFORTABLE home for old people, invalids taken by week or month, massage and alcohol baths. 641 E. 14th st.

COMFORTABLE home during confinement with nurse physician references reasonable. Phone Merritt 4318

PRIVATE home in confinement; very reasonable. Phone Merritt 4519.

FOR SALE—
MISCELLANEOUS

ALL kinds second-hand lumber, doors, windows, toilets, sinks, bath tubs, mantels, wash basins, pipes. PIONEER WRECKING CO., 1427 E. 12th st.

A LARGE gas range, also small one, cheap; good condition; private parties only. 1416 Willow st., Alameda; phone Alameda 1500.

A MERCHANT has taken high-grade piano in part payment for furs. If you are interested address Box 1479, Tribune.

A GOOD hydraulic barber chair at a bargain. J. Coleman Furniture Co., 418 11th.

A FAT MAN'S STORE—Large sizes in shirts and underwear. 1234 Broadway.

A PIANO at a sacrifice. Call 3002 Grove st., Oakland, corner 30th.

A GOOD upright piano for $75. Call 472 11th st., Oakland.

BARGAINS in good upright pianos:
Wheelock............$125
Smith & Barnes............$125
Kohler & Chase............$165
J. P. Hale............$ 75
Call 472 11th st., near Broadway.

BABY CHICKS grow while you sleep; get them early for fall layers; Buff Orpington prize stock hatched Feb. 17, March 4, eggs infertiles replaced. 2581 25th ave., Fruitvale; phone Merritt 2818.

BIG 6 sox, 6 pair wear 6 months, $1; Litholin water-proof linen collars, 25c. Tom Ronald, 1234 Broadway.

FINE, big Duntley Vacuum cleaner for sale; better than new; complete outfit; cost $140; first $100 takes it. W. F. Gilliam, 134 Moss ave; Piedmont ave. car to Moss ave

FOR SALE—Lamson Cash Carrier System, six stations, complete, also Lamson's Basket Carrier System, complete; any reasonable offer accepted. Maxwell Hardware Co.

FOR RENT—Chairs, tables, dishes, at our new store, new location, 520 11th st., near Clay, opposite Hales, rear S. M. Wood. H. Schellhaas, Oakland's furniture dealer.

FOR SALE—Almost new 1500-lb. Buick truck, will sell for $900; cost $1250. Maxwell Hardware Co., 1166 Washington st.

FRESH cows for sale. H. A. Merritt, Santa Fe ave., Albany, or write to Spruce and Los Angeles sts., Berkeley.

FOR SALE—Fine Belgian and Flemish buck and doe, with young. 3121 Grace st., Oakland; take Dimond car; Merritt 4095.

GASOLINE engine and pump, 500-gal. pressure boiler, also heavy business buggy; cheap. 674 43d st.

LEAVING TOWN, 244-egg Cypher incubator, $15. Call 2619 Grove, bet. 12 and 1, or after 6 p. m

NEW automatic printing press, also complete outfit; new type (14 fonts), cabinet; spot cash bargain. Box 1451, Tribune.

NO 7 EUREKA coal range with warming closet, cheap. 275 12th, bet. Harrison and Alice.

NEW White family rotary sewing machine, cheap. 320 Taft ave., near College.

OAKLAND Typewriter Exchange, 952 Broadway; phone Oakland 8219—We sell, rent, repair all makes.

OAK. POUND, 26th and Peralta—Hunting, house dogs. Phones Oakland 893, A-1023.

PROPERTY sold, must leave; sell cheap, instantaneous water heater, beds, table, furniture. Call and see, 1222 5th st, cor. Union.

SET of carpenter tools, for sale cheap. Apply at 734 E. 20th st., Oakland.

WILL you buy? Surely! You are looking for it now, and the seller is looking for you; he is watching the "Wanted Miscel." column now. Is YOUR adv. there?

WANTED—
MISCELLANEOUS

AA—Highest Price
Good cast-off clothing, shoes; write or will call. Uncle Jake, 684 Wash; Oak 6723.

AA—SECOND-HAND clothing bought, sold. J. Muller, 639 8th; Oakland 6457.

CASH paid for diamonds and precious stones. Karl Eber, 180 Sutter st., room 412, San Francisco.

DON'T sell your household goods until you see J. Coleman, 412 11th st., where you will realize more for them. Phone Oakland 3266.

HIGHEST prices paid for furniture, household goods and merchandise by Kist's Nuandold Furniture House, 11th and Franklin. Phones A 1525; Oakland 3878.

FURNITURE WANTED—We will give you more for your furniture and household goods than you can get elsewhere. J. A. Munro & Co., 1007 Clay st., Oakland, phone Oakland 4671; 211 Phelan Bldg., S. F., phone Douglas 611.

H. HERTZEL AUCTION CO.,
984 7th st., cor. Filbert st., Oakland, pays highest prices for furniture, household goods, merchandise, or sells to your best advantage on commission; watch the papers for bargains. Phone Home A-4362.

IF you must have the most money for your furniture, merchandise, etc., call up Oakland Auction Co., Meysel & Meysel, auctioneers; they will pay you the cash or sell on commission. 359-363 13th st, near Franklin; phones Oakland 4479, Home A-4479.

WANTED—English bull terrier, brindle. Phone Piedmont 3069.

500 TO 1000 lbs. tea lead or good, clean pipe cuttings wanted. Tribune office, 8th and Franklin sts.

POULTRY FOR SALE

AA—STANDARD bred White Plymouth Rocks; also hatching eggs. F. E. Bemis, 1847 E. 25th st.; phone Merritt 3114.

BLACK ORPINGTON cockerels and trio bantams for sale, Buff and White Orpington and Houdan eggs for setting. Kaufman's poultry yards, 3452 35th ave., Oakland.

BARRED ROCKS, Indian Runner and mammoth Pekin ducks; hatching eggs from classy stock; prices right. F. S. Brown, 1942 84th ave., Elmhurst.

BARRED ROCK eggs for hatching; prize stock; $1.50 for 15. 160 Miles ave. Oakland.

BABY chicks, 10c each; special price on thousand lots. Stansfield, 3301 E. 14th st., Fruitvale; the pioneer chick man.

BARRED ROCK eggs for hatching from thoroughbred prize stock, 15 for $2; guaranteed. Phone Alameda 1198.

BABY CHICKS, 10c; large lots a specialty. Stansfield, 3801 E. 14th.

EGGS for hatching; Black and Buff Orpingtons, White Minorcas; select stock. Further information, phone Berkeley 1595.

FINEST strain Black Orpington; several fine specimens young roosters, beautiful plumage. Address, old No. 1300, new No 2606 E 16th st, bet 25th and 26th aves, phone Merritt 2[illegible]

FOR SALE—Houdan and Indian Runner eggs for hatching. 3060 Pleitner ave. (off School st.), Fruitvale, Merritt 3353.

I MAKE poultry pay, so can you; I'll teach you. Call or address, 2135 Linden st, cor 22d; visitors welcome

ONE White Orpington Kellerstras cockerel, 11 months old also White Orpington and Buff Orpington eggs. 135 Jackson st.

THOROUGHBRED Black Langshan pullets, also eggs for setting. 2031 57th ave; phone Elmhurst 546

TWO pens young Black Minorca, No. 2 Cyphers incubator, new. 1124 W 63d st.

33 VARIETIES chicks, sent anywhere; thor. chickens, ducks and eggs. Ingleside Hatchery, 807 Mt. Vernon ave., S. F.

3 COCKS Seabright's bantams, 1 male ring-neck pheasants. Box 786, Tribune.

PATENT ATTORNEYS

CARLTON F. GRIFFIN, patents, late examiner U. S. Patent Office, 701 Pacific Bldg., S. F. phone Kearny 4815

H. SCHROEDER Patent attorney, U. S. and foreign patents. First National Bank Bldg.

HOUSES TO LET
FURNISHED

A—WILL furnish 10-room house, bath, laundry, large yard; well adapted for entertaining; near trains and cars. Address Mrs. J. H. N., 245 Perkins st.

ATTRACTIVE 5-room bungalow on fine corner in Linda Vista; finely furnished; sleeping porch, hardwood floors; $45. Phone Merritt 2159.

AA—SIX-ROOM cottage; piano; beautiful bath; gas, electricity; $30; lease. 1326 E. 14th st.

A COMFORTABLY furnished five-room cottage; rent $25. 1515 Pacific ave., Alameda.

A 3-ROOM furnished cottage; rent reasonable. 834 10th st., in rear.

COMPLETELY furnished house of 7 rooms, Piedmont, near cars; reasonable. Apply 685 31st, or phone Piedmont 1291.

COTTAGE 5 furnished rooms, with piano, near Broadway Key Route depot. 2219 Valley st.; phone Oakland 3473.

EXTRA fine furnished house of 7 rooms, complete with piano, 478 27th st, near Telegraph ave., Oakland. Open for inspection from 3 to 5 p. m. daily.

FOR RENT or sale, 16 rooms, bath; nicely furnished; business location. 525 Washington.

FOR RENT—3-room cottage; partly furnished. 696 24th st.

LINDA VISTA HOMES.
I have a number of Linda Vista homes, furnished and unfurnished, that can be leased.
GEO. W. AUSTIN,
1212 Broadway, Syndicate Bldg.

MODERN 7-room bungalow, finely furnished, elegant large living room, very sunny; rent $52.50, including water and care of lawn 3307 College ave., one block to Key Route.

NINE rooms, furnished; 3 minutes to City Hall; reasonable. 817 16th st.

SIX rooms and bath, upstairs, furnished for housekeeping apartment, arranged for two families; rent $32; located on Magnolia, corner of 30th. See owner on premises Monday afternoon, phone Merritt 368.

$35.00—For rent, 7-room bungalow, partly furnished, 3 blocks from center of San Leandro, on electric car line to Oakland. Key at Attorney Frank's office, Best building, San Leandro, Cal.

4-ROOM modern cottage completely furnished for housekeeping. 5711 Dover, near 56th. Call between 1 and 5.

HOUSES TO LET
UNFURNISHED

A 4-ROOM cottage, gas for cooking, large yard, $12; 5-room house, gas for cooking, bath, large yard, $14. Inquire 1059 Park ave., East Oakland, near 23d ave. station.

A 6-ROOM cottage, only $18; near car barn. 1274 5th ave.

BEAUTIFUL home in East Fruitvale; chicken yards and fruit; cheap to right party. Apply before noon at 2614 Diese ave.

COTTAGE for large family at 54th near Key Route; phone Piedmont 1356.

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FOR SALE—Electric Columbus roadster, nearly new, first-class condition; bargain. Box B-250, Tribune.

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WANTED—Late model 5-passenger machine; price and particulars Box 1593, Tribune.

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BARGAINS—Child's saddle pony, one saddle horse, three general purpose horses, surrey. 1081 5th ave. rear. Merritt 1107.

CLUB stables, 850 28th st, near San Pablo, has for sale a few horses cheap, also 2 coffee rigs.

EIGHT horses, 1100-1450 pounds, suitable for ranch and delivery; lumber truck, sand wagon, farm wagon, light and heavy spring wagon, one 6-year-old saddle pony 4418 E. 14th st

FOR SALE—Cheap, two horses 1484 21st st, bet. Broadway and Telegraph, phone owner Merritt 2878

FOR SALE—Surry in good condition. 3446 Dana st., cor Derby, Berkeley.

FIVE cheap horses from $35 to $65. Daly's Stable, 14th and Webster sts.

FINE electric surry for sale cheap. 1729 Everett st

HORSE and wagon, horse 10 years old; good worker; delivery wagon, 10-ft. bed, in good shape, make offer 256 Orchard street

WISH to communicate with party who can use capable man and horse, wagon or buggy. Box 713, Tribune

YOUNG bay mare, 1200 lbs, perfect condition, family horse, must sell at once. W S Childs, 3050 Hopkins st; phone Merritt 2764

$20—GOOD delivery horse, willing driver. Apply 1456 Broadway, Apt 5

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MONEY LOANED ON DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY. M J. SCHOENFELD, 1203 BROADWAY.

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1912 IVER JOHNSON
It's at 2325 Grove st, Oakland; 4½-H. P., V-Belt, Iver Johnson variable speed clutch truss frame, Bosh Mag. Shebler car, Corbin band brake

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H. SCHELLHAAS,
Oakland's furniture dealer, new and only store, new location, new stock, 520 11th st., opposite Hale's, same building as S. N. Wood—Bargains in all lines household goods Give us a call.

WANTED—Man for janitor work in store. Apply Schlueter's, Washington st, near 13th.

A NEW modern cottage, five rooms, $3000, on Boyd ave., near Clifton; terms reasonable. Owner, 260 Perkins. Phone Oak 7707

THERE is a choice little property overlooking the Country Club golf links, which should not be missed by parties selecting a choice site for a home. These splendid lots can be purchased from $750 up and upon very reasonable terms. B. M. Birdsall, 1520 Broadway, Oakland

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WANTED—Girl to assist in general housework. 2336 Valdez.

SUNNY, furnished housekeeping rooms; gas, bath and phone. 1168 8th st

Marriages, Births, Deaths.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued:
ROTHENSTEIN-ROSENBERG — John Rothenstein, 28, and Lillian Rosenberg, 22, both of Oakland.
CASSULO-OTTONELLO—Louis Cassulo 24, and Lena Ottonello, 18, both of Oakland.
FRAMHEIM-ALSING—William Framheim, 21, and Emily Alsing, 19, both of Alameda.
GUILLOT-LARSEN—Fred P. Guillot, 25, Oakland, and Marie Larsen, 19, San Francisco.
JAGO-COSTA—Charles H. Jago, 26, and Lena Costa, 25, both of Oakland.
MULVANEY-SELDEN—Alfred L. Mulvaney, 23, Alameda, and Beatrice Selden, 23, Oakland.
OXLEY-LEASER—John D. Oxley, 52, San Francisco and Emma M. Leaser 38 San Francisco.
SMITH-M'DONALD—Frank V. Smith, 28, Oroville, and Florence E. McDonald, 25, Berkeley.
SWEENEY-GALLAGHER—Douglass S. Sweeney, 31, and Rose Gallagher, 28, both of Oakland.
THOMAS SHEEHAN—Joseph L. Thomas, 26, Oakland, and Margaret T. Sheehan, 23, Berkeley.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

MARTIN—Evangeline A. vs. Joseph S. Martin; extreme cruelty.

BIRTHS.

BUCHER—January 30, to the wife of Theodore J. Bucher, a son.
BURNS—February 11, to the wife of Ludwig Burns, a son.
DECHA—February 4, 1912, to the wife of Ben C. Decha, a daughter.
EVANS—February 13, to the wife of H. F. Evans, a son.
FARRNER—February 15, to the wife of Emery W. Farrner a son.
SCHULTE—February 11, to the wife of James Albert Schulte, a son.
SONNEBORN—February 18, to the wife of Henry Sonneborn, a daughter.

BOARD OF HEALTH REPORT.

The following death certificates have been filed at the Health Office:

Name.	Cause.
Jean L. Le Breton ...	Mitral val insuf.
Michel J. Kankuskis .	Tuberculosis.
Delores M. de Sanches.	Pneumonia.
John J. Murphy	Arteirio Sclerosis.
John F. Sprague ...	Urasmia.
Infant son of James and	Pneumonia.
Zepha Fitzsimons ..	Pregnancy.
Wesley E Studebaker	Cardiac failure.
Zepha D Fitzsimons .	Diphtheria.
George R. Cone..	
G M. Ballantyne	

DEATHS.

LOFLAND—In Berkeley, Feb. 16, 1912, Emily J. Lofland, widow of William O. Lofland of Memphis, Tenn., and beloved mother of Mrs. Emily Robinson and Edward Lofland and Charles Lofland, aged 83 years.
SCHWARTE—In Berkeley, Cal., Feb. 15, 1912, William, dearly beloved son of Andrew and Elizabeth Schwartz and brother of Anna W., Hilda E and David A. Schwartz, a native of San Francisco, aged 33 years, 9 months and 16 days.
WULZEN—In Alameda, Feb. 16, Minnie Wulzen, beloved wife of the late Captain John D Wulzen, and loving mother of Mrs. Maz Gundlach of Bakersfield, Mrs. Henry Tietjen of Sacramento, and Otto, George and Richard Wulzen, a native of Hanover, Germany, aged 72 years and 8 months.

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GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO Feb. 17.—Closing quotations:

Option.	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—PER BUSHEL.				
May	$1 01⅝	$1 01⅝	$1.00⅝	$1..⅝
July	95¼	95¼	.94⅝	94¼
September	93¾	93⅝	93¼	.93½
CORN—PER BUSHEL				
May	68¼	68¼	67¼	.67¼
July	67⅝	67¾	67¼	67¼
September	67⅝	67¾	67⅜	.67⅛
OATS—PER BUSHEL				
May	52⅝	52⅝	52¼	52¼
July	47⅞	47⅞	47⅝	47⅝
PORK—PER BARREL				
May	15 95	15 39	15 65	15 75
July	16 20	16 20	15 92	16 00
September	16 25	16 25	16 07	16 10
LARD—PER BARREL				
May	9 07	9 07	9 00	9 05
July	9 25	9 26	9 15	9 17
September	9 40	9 40	9 32	9 35
SHORT RIBS—PER 100 LBS				
May	9 20	9 20	9 07	9 09
July	9 75	9 75	9 62	9 65
September	9 80	9 82	9 75	9 80

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PRICES STEADY AFTER DECLINE

The Favorable Crop Conditions Have Tendency to Weaken Wheat Marekt.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Reports of free offerings of Argentine wheat at Liverpool had a depressing effect on the market here today. In addition, there were generous receipts northwest and the weather was favorable for the winter crop. Chicago warehouses, too, were expecting liberal arrivals during the next two weeks in view of the amount of wheat bought to arrive, but not yet shipped Pit traders and commission concerns took hold more actively after the market had somewhat declined The result was to steady prices. Opening figures were a shade to ¼ lower. May started at $1.01¼ to $1.01⅜, a drop of one-sixteenth to ⅛ to ¼c, touched $1.01⅛ to $1.01½ and then sagged to $1.01⅛ to $1.01¼.

Subsequently, statements that the government report had underestimated the Minnesota crop 20,000,000 bushels and that the receipts would be heavy for another month, led to a fresh break. The close was weak at 100⅝@100¾, a loss of 1 cent net

Mild weather weakened corn Less demand southwest had a similar effect May opened a shade to ¼c off at 68@68⅛c to 68⅜c, rallied to 68¾c and fell later to 68c

Closing figures were easy, with May ⅝@¾c down at 67½c

A moderate appearance of aggressiveness on the part of the bull leaders upheld oats, notwithstanding the lack of strength in other grains May started a shade to ⅛c lower at 52⅝c to 52⅝@52½c and quickly rose to 52½@52⅝c.

Provisions showed firmness in sympathy with higher prices at the yards. First sales were unchanged to 10c up with May $15.55 for pork; $9 07½ for lard and $8.70 for ribs.

CASH GRAIN CHICAGO

Rye—No 2, 93½
Barley—30c@$1 30.
Clover—Nominal.
Timothy—$12@15
Wheat—May, $1 00⅝@1 00½; July, 94⅞@95c.
Corn—May, 67½c; July 67½c, September, 67¼@67½c
Oats—May, 52½c; July, 47⅝c; September, 41c.
Pork—May, $15 75; July, $16.00; September, $16 10
Lard—May, $9.05@9.02½; July, $9.17½c; September, $9.85@9.87½c.
Ribs—May, $9 60; July, $8.85@8.87½c; September, $8.80@8.82½.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE
J. C. Wilson, Stockbroker.

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil ..	101½	102
Cal Central Gas and Elec 5s.....		102⅝
Cal Gas & Elec Gen M&TCT 5s	101½	..
Central Cal Traction 5s	95	96
City Elec Co 5s	90½	90
Edison Electric Co of L A 5s.....	101⅝	..
Los Angeles Gas and Elec 5s	100	..
Los Angeles Ry 5s	108	..
L A Pac RR 1st Con 5s.....	103	..
Market St Cable 5s	100	101
Natomas Con of Cal 6s	98½	..
Oakland Transit Co 6s	107½	..
Oakland Transit Con 5s	103	105
Oakland Traction Con 5s	97	98¼
Oakland Water Co gtd 5s	95½	97
Pac Elec Co 5s		104¾
Peoples Water Co 5s	75¼	75½
Sacramento Elec Gas & Ry 5s ..	102¾	103¼
S F, Oak & San Jose Ry 5s	97	98
S P RR Co 1st mortgage	95¼	95½
S V Water Co Gen Mtg 4s	95¼	95½
United R R of S F 4s	68½	69

WATER STOCKS

Peoples Water Co (Pfd)	50	..
Spring Valley Water Co	65¼	..

GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCK

N Cal Power Co Com		58
Oro Elec Corp (Com)	20	..
Oro Elec Corp (Pfd)	76	77

INSURANCE STOCKS.

Fireman's Fund		45

BANK STOCKS

Anglo Cal Trust Co	128	..
Anglo & L P Nat Bank	156	157
First Nat Bank of S F	225	..

POWDER STOCKS.

E I du P de Nem Pur (Pfd) ...	92	..
Giant Con Co	81¼	..

SUGAR STOCKS.

Hawaiian Sugar Co	46½	..
Honokaa Sugar Co	14⅞	..
Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	23½	24
Makawell Sugar Co	30	..
Onomea Sugar Co	52½	..
Paauhau S P Co	28½	..

OIL STOCKS

Associated Oil Co	48½	48¾

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS

Alaska Packers' Ass		80½
Cal Fruit Canners Ass	107½	..
Cal Wine Ass (Pfd)	86¾	85
Cal Wine Ass (Com)	50	..
Pac Tel and Tel (Pfd)	98⅝	99
Pac Tel and Tel (Com)	..	46

MORNING SALES

2000 Pac Gas and Elec 5s 92½
1000 Pac Tel 5s 100¼
2000 S P Ref 4s 85⅝
1000 L A Ry 5s 108½
1000 Natomas 6s 98¾
1000 S J Light 5s 97⅞
3000 Cal Gas and Elec 5s 101⅝
10 Anglo L P Bank 156½
80 Associated Oil 48½
500 Hawaiian 46½
340 Hutchinson 23½
5 Makawell 31
10 Oro Elec (Pfd) 76
500 Spring Valley Water 65½

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE—OIL

Morning Session, Saturday, February 17.
CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Ophir ..	1 50	1 55	Sierar N ..	37	39
Mexican ..	7.77½	8.35	Utah ..	..	15
Gould & C ..	08	10	Bullion ..	..	10
Best & B ..	17	18	Exchequer ..	08	..
Con Va ..	83	85	Seg Bel ..	46	47
Savage ..	30	32	Greenback ..	..	1.80
Chollar ..	..	18	Justice ..	00	..
Potosi ..	11	12	Union ..	1 42½	1.35
Hale & N ..	37	38	Alta ..	06	..
Crown Pt ..	..	78	Julia ..	..	25
Yellow J ..	..	65	Caledonia ..	..	4.10
Con Imp ..	06	08	Confidence ..	50	..
Alpha ..	01	02	Andes ..	14	16
Belcher ..	..	70	Scorpion ..	17	..
Confidence ..	90	1 00	Bruns C ..	15	..

TONOPAH.

Montana ..	1.05	..	North Star ..	80	81
Tono Ex ..	1.40	..	West End ..	82	..
Macnamara ..	26	..	Rescue Con ..	21	..
Midway ..	..	26	J Butler ..	86	..
Belmont ..	9.25	..	Mizpah Ex ..	90	..

GOLDFIELD.

Gold Con ..	4.45	..	Florence ..	60	61
Colum Mt ..	..	05	Diam B B ..	06	07
Jumbo Ex ..	21	22	Con Fract ..	14	16
Booth ..	96	..	Gold Key ..	..	07
Bling Bull ..	05	06	Cracker J ..	..	02
Silver P ..	05	..	Red Hills ..	01	..
St Ives ..	30	..	Yellow T ..	02	..
C O D ..	..	14	Grandma ..	02	..
Lone Star ..	..	06	Berger M ..	24	25
Oro ..	..	03	Diam Daisy ..	..	11
Atlanta ..	16	17	Vernal ..	16	18
Gt Bend ..	03	04	P P Con ..	..	09

BULLFROG.

Bonnie C ..	01	..	Tramp Con ..	01	..
Mayflow Con ..	02	..			

MANHATTAN.

Man Con ..	15	16	Mineral H ..	..	10
Gold W ..	..	05	Stray Dog ..	..	02
Man Dex ..	04	05	Man Big F ..	..	41
Mustang M ..	..	06	Thanksgiving ..	..	04

OTHER DISTRICTS.

Round Mt ..	48	48½	Eagles N ..	02	..
Nevada H ..	2.32½	..	Fair G B ..	04	..
Pitts S P ..	1.22½	1.25			

SALES.

2000 W End ..82. 700 H and N ..38
200 Florence ..60 400 Utah ..15
100 Florence ..61 200 Ophir ..1.52½
3000 M Miner ..24 500 Potosi ..12
200 Montana ..1.07½ 200 Union ..1.42½
100 Tono Ex ..1.40 100 Andes ..15
200 Macnamara..25 500 Imp ..06
1000 Stray Dog ..02 300 L and N ..48
1000 M H Con ..19 100 S and B ..47
700 G and C ..08 300 Julia ..25
200 B and B ..18 1000 Andes ..15
100 Savage ..82

SUMMARY OF THE MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Attorney General Wickersham, speaking at St. Louis, defended Sherman anti-trust act and pleaded for federal incorporation law.

Superintendent Van Tuyel of state banking department approves merger of Equitable Trust and Trust Company of America.

Mercantile agencies take more hopeful view of business situation.

W. E. Corey elected director of International Smelting and Refining Company, succeeding Adolph Lewisohn.

Failures this week 352, against 323 previous week.

London dispatch says 1,000,000 British coal miners will go on strike.

Locomotive engineers upon eastern roads ask for wage increase aggregating $10,000,000; 48 railroads affected; answer demand February 25.

Russian cabinet will submit to Duma bill for displacement of American agricultural machinery made in Russia or other countries

Federal Light and Traction authorizes $50,000,000 5 per cent bond issue, $5,000,000 to be loaned at once, proceeds to meet maturing obligations, provide new improvements and retire outstanding bonds.

Burley Tobacco pool sells about 6,000,000 pounds of 1909 pool tobacco at price around 17c.

Reported movements of currency this week indicates loss in cash held by banks of about $1,000,000.

Twelve industrials declined .31 per cent; twenty active railroads declined .06 per cent.

BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE

SAN FRANCISCO Feb. 17.—Butter—Fancy creamery 36c; seconds, 34½c; fancy dairy, 34c. Eggs—Store, 20½c; fancy ranch, 21c.
Cheese—New, 15½@16c; Young America, 16@18c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Butter—Steady. Creameries, 25@29c, dairies, 23@27c
Eggs—Steady. Receipts, 2714 cases; at mark, cases included, 25@27c, ordinary firsts, 27@28c; firsts, 20@30c.
Cheese—Steady. Daisies 17@17¼c; Twins, 16¾@17c; Young American, 17¼@17½; Long Horns, 17¼@17¼c.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Butter—Creamery, specials, 26c; extras, 26@25½c; process specials 25c; extras 24@25½c.
Cheese—Firm. Skims, 7½@14½c.
Eggs—Firm.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Money on call, nominal Time loans, steady; 60 days, 2½@2¾ per cent 90 days, 2¾@3, six months, 3@3¼.

NEW YORK Feb 17.—Close prime mercantile paper, 3¼@4¼ per cent.

Sterling exchange strong with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 8725 60 day bills and at $4 8740 for demand.

Commercial bills—$4 83¼
Bar silver—58½c.
Mexican dollars—47c.
Government bonds steady, railroad bonds steady.

LIVESTOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17. Cattle Receipts 300 market steady Beeves, $4 75@9 25, Texas steers $4 60@5 25, western steers $4 85@7, stockers and feeders $3 90@6 15, cows and heifers, $2 10@8 50, calves $7 25@9 25

Hogs Receipts 10,000, market strong to 5c higher, 7 to 9 c, $5 40@5 27½, mixed, $5 00@5 27½, heavy $5 05@5 20, rough $5 45@5 65, pigs $4 25@5 00, bulk of sales $5 15@5 25

Sheep—Receipts, 1000, market slow and steady Wether $4 90@5 25, western $5 00@5 40, yearlings $5 45@5 70, lambs, native, $4 40@6 90; western, $4 75@6 90

STREET WATCHING BIG OIL BATTLE

The Report of Week's Fight Is Received With Interest in New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Wall street received with great interest the complete reports of this week's fight in St. Louis between the Rockefeller interests and H. C. Pierce and his associates for control of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company. An analysis of the stock offered for the balloting in St. Louis showed John D. Rockefeller's personal holdings in the Waters-Pierce Company as 682 shares

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SUGAR TRUST EXISTS, DECIDES HOUSE COMMITTEE

Henry O. Havemeyer Given Credit for Organizing Gigantic Combine

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The Hardwick sugar "trust" investigating committees, after many weeks of open hearings here and in New York and almost continuous work since last May, reported to the House today that the sugar trust exists.

The report, which is signed by all the members of the committee, Republicans as well as Democrats, makes no recommendation as to how the alleged trust and those responsible for it shall be dealt with, suggesting that this phase of the situation be handled by a standing committee of the House.

PRICES KEPT UP.

As to the effect of the combine on the cost of sugar to the consumer, the committee expresses the belief that monopoly keeps the price up, but makes no attempt to fix accurately the extent to which reasonable prices under competitive conditions are exceeded.

The report condemns the original promoters of the sugar trust, but describes the 18,000 present owners of the stock of the American Sugar Refining Company as "innocent purchasers" of the stock which was unloaded on them by the few men who organized the sugar trust.

Henry O. Havemeyer is given credit for the organization of the trust and of him the report says:

"That this colossal speculation has come through with success and today stands on an established business basis is due to the genius of its architect rather than to any of the restraining powers of society as expressed in the law.

We find strikingly developed in the sugar industry several evils, aside from the primary one of stifling competition, which seem to demand careful consideration and remedial legislation by congress.

As this matter belongs to the jurisdiction of a great standing committee of the House, your special committee will not undertake to present a bill on the subject or to elaborate the idea herein suggested, being confident that the entire subject matter will receive careful and prompt consideration by the standing committee having jurisdiction thereof.

EARLY PROSECUTIONS.

Early in the report the prosecutions of the sugar industry by the federal government are reviewed. The organization of the first sugar combine in 1887 is taken up, and the two actions of the government are set forth. Of the suit brought against the sugar trust in New York in November, 1910, the report says:

It is but simple justice to say that this bill seems to be both carefully and ably drawn, comprehensive and well adapted to the purpose at which it aims. It is now pending in the Circuit Court.

The committee charges that since the organization of the American Sugar Refining Company in 1891, it has repeatedly violated the Sherman law. The report continues:

At the time it was chartered, the Sherman law had been in force more than six months and both its organization and existence, coupled with its methods of doing business, was, as the testimony seems to indicate to your committee, a palpable and continuing violation of the Sherman law and yet no serious attempt was made (prior to November 1910) to invoke the civil remedies provided by the anti-trust law against the corporation. It also is to be noted that the government has not even up to the present time, so far as has appeared, made any effort to enforce the penal provisions of the Sherman law.

Twenty-one actions in the organization and operation of the sugar trust, which the committee gives as violations of the Sherman law are enumerated and, after tracing the growth of the American Sugar Refining Company and discussing its alleged over-capitalization and sale to its present owners, the report says:

These salient facts indicate with supreme emphasis the basic condition of the problem uncovered by this committee:

That we have in this government ample machinery for rigid inquisition into the property of these 18,000 people, and for suits to decompose that property into its original parts by destruction of its organization; but there is no arrangement of government whereby one of these 18,000 people might have informed himself definitely of the hazards into which he or she was buying.

AS TO COMPETITION.

The report discusses the doctrine of government regulation of prices, but discourages it, saying, "Competition and individuality are the great remedies that have been sufficient through all ages to protect us from the evils that now threaten. We are not yet ready to write an epitaph over either."

The committee estimates that 62.39 per cent of the sugar business is controlled by the combine. It also finds that the "trust" has a large interest in the beet sugar end of the business. With its strongest competitor, Arbuckle Brothers, there is said to be a condition of "armed neutrality."

The refining margin on sugar has reached a trifle over 82 cents a hundred pounds, according to the report. This was lowest during the Arbuckle war in 1899—50 cents—and prior to the organization of the "trust" in 1887 was $1.25. The committee gives no credit to the trust for reducing the cost of sugar, but reports that in 1870, sugar cost 13½ cents a pound, and in 1911 the price of sugar was 4.97 cents a pound. It reports that in 1910 the world's supply of sugar was 17,000,000 tons, of which 50.5 per cent was beet sugar.

SWEET TOOTH.

The largest sugar consuming countries of the world were the United Kingdom (86.8 pounds per capita) and the United States (81.6 pounds).

The committee followed instructions in reporting whether the existence of a trust had any tendency to decrease the price of sugar cane and beets to the producer. It reported that the Louisiana cane grower is discriminated against by an arbitrary ruling of the trust, but that the Hawaiian planter is independent. Of the beet sugar growers the report says:

"Your committee reports that the evidence as taken does not disclose combinations between manufacturers in the beet sugar industry that have caused or had a tendency to cause a decrease in the cost of sugar beets."

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In addition to the automatic block signal system over the lines of the Southern Pacific there has been installed for the further protection of passengers a bell system for the regulation of the speed of trains across the trestle over Great Salt Lake. The device is simple but it protects the passengers on this costly piece of engineering work. The trestle is twelve miles long and as a train enters or leaves it, a bell is rung in the station at Midlake. Twelve miles per hour is the speed limit for freight trains and 20 miles per hour for passenger trains. The agent at Midlake forwards a report of the trains that pass over this long bridge every day to the superintendent of the division and an accurate record is kept in this manner. The engineers making trains across the lake have become so proficient in regulating the speed of their locomotives that they now make the run in precisely the allotted time and are always on time into Ogden.

SECTIONS OF AIR TO BE LABELED

Smoke Abatement Committee to Seek Samples of the Atmosphere.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Sections of the atmosphere in and over Chicago are to be taken out, labeled and classified.

This work, which will be accomplished with the aid of an automobile equipped with a tower and queer looking jars, is to be done by chemists employed by Engineer H. G. Burt of the Association of Commerce Smoke Abatement Committee. Through investigation of the air and an atmospheric map are to be made.

Smoke will be caught; stock yards odors captured, one or two kilos of the air breathed in the ghetto will be captured; air from parks bottled and the air over the highest skyscrapers encased.

Tests are to be made along the lines of railroads to determine the effect of smoke, and in short all sorts of air in the city are to be examined with the principal object in view of determining the effect of the smoke nuisance.

WIRELESS MESSAGE IS SWIFT LANGUAGE

MARE ISLAND, Feb. 17.—A thirty-word aerogram, sent from the cruiser South Dakota at Hilo to the Bureau of Navigation in Washington, was picked up at Mare Island on Thursday night, forwarded to Key West, thence forwarded and the o. k. flashed back to the South Dakota in twenty minutes from the time the message was sent.

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TEVIS ON STAND IN FORECLOSURE SUIT

Tells of the Alleged Interview With W. R. Williams and of Latter's Action.

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 17.—W. S. Tevis, testifying in the Sunset Road oil foreclosure suit, asserted that W. R. Williams, state superintendent of banks and A. A. de Ligne, the latter's attorney, held an interview with him in Williams' office in San Francisco last November under pretense of seeking his advice and cooperation in extricating the Kern valley bank from its present difficulties, and that three days thereafter they filed the sensational cross complaint now under trial in which Tevis, Beal and Blodget are charged with fraud and conspiracy.

The cross complaint also asks the court to cancel the Sunset Road oil bonds held by Tevis in the amount of a million dollars par value and to enter judgment against him for nearly half a million more.

Tevis said that Williams invited him to the conference and questioned him as to the bank's condition. Tevis said that he believed it could be reorganized and reopened as a national bank and the depositors fully protected. He said he was busy with other affairs at the time, but said in 30 days he would be ready to aid in rehabilitating the bank, provided nothing was done meantime to offend people whose assistance would be required. He left the office supposing that he was on the best of terms with the bank superintendent and was greatly surprised at the sensational charges entered so soon against him.

The other feature of the day's testimony was that in 1906 Tevis carried negotiations for the sale of Sunset Road oil properties to the Southern Pacific for $2,000,000 up to Harriman with the approval of the officials of this coast and that he believed the deal would have gone through but for the depression of 1907. The property also was offered to the Standard, the Associated and the Santa Fe.

YOUNGER ROOSEVELT MAY BECOME BROKER

NEW YORK, Feb. 17. — Theodore Roosevelt Jr. is about to desert the carpet business in the west for a partnership or an important place in a prominent financial concern in Wall street. It was said the matter was settled and that the firm was Bertron, Griscom & Jenks of 40 Wall street.

Samuel R. Bertron, senior member of the firm, lives in Fifth avenue. Here a reporter found young Roosevelt and Bertron at the entrance shaking hands in parting, the Wall street man saying:

"You must come and take dinner with me, Theodore—say next Tuesday."

"Yes, thanks, I will," replied the young man, turning to hurry away.

Bertron said to the reporter: "Please don't say anything about it; it is not altogether decided."

FORTUNE IS BURIED IN RUSTY TIN CAN

PETALUMA, Feb. 17.—When Henry Finley Sr. of Bodega died a few years ago his estate was much smaller than his executor, Henry Finley Jr., expected.

A search was made and $4,000 was found in an old trunk, which the father had guarded for years.

While repairing an old woodshed today and digging for a foundation Henry Finley Jr. found $3300 in a rusty can. This sum will be turned over to the estate for distribution among the heirs.

Finley came to California in the early fifties, crossing the plains by team.

JOHN F. BARRY LOSES JOB AS ACCOUNTANT

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 17. — John F. Barry, assistant superintendent of accountants under the state board of control, was dismissed from the state's service yesterday by the board for reasons which neither the board members nor Barry will divulge.

Barry's resignation was demanded by the state board four days ago, and when the accountant refused to present it he was fired.

His dismissal takes effect immediately, for State Controller Nye has been told to take him off the pay roll. The board's action was by unanimous vote.

AMBASSADOR'S WIFE DIES.

ARCO, Tyrol, Feb. 17.—Lady Goschen, the wife of Sir Edward Goschen, British Ambassador at Berlin, is dead here. Lady Goschen was a daughter of Darius Clarke of Philadelphia.

YOUTHFUL CROOK IS JAIL-BREAKER

Nineteen-Year-Old Youth Escapes From Prison Cell Three Times.

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 17.—Nineteen years old, credited with three jail breaks following a postoffice robbery in which he was implicated, Robert Bradbury was confined in the city jail here overnight being on his way from Buffalo, N. Y., to Moscow, Idaho, in the custody of two officers. Bradbury and his custodians were in a Northern Pacific wreck near Sand Point, Idaho, Friday morning, and though wearing an Oregon boot, usually a discouragement to escape, Bradbury managed to make a fair start toward liberty but was recaptured.

Bradbury drew a year in jail for his part in a postoffice robbery and while serving his time at Moscow escaped. He was captured at Louisville, Ky., but succeeded in getting out of the jail. A letter from his sweetheart brought about his arrest at Buffalo and again he escaped but that time was quickly recaptured. He has about six months to serve of his original sentence.

KAHN TRIUMPHS FOR CIVILIANS OF ARMY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. — Representative Kahn's fight to prevent civilian employes of the Army being displaced by enlisted men, as provided in the pending Army bill, ended victoriously yesterday when the House accepted the amendment to the bill prepared by Kahn and Minority Leader Mann.

The amendment excepts from displacement in the Army position by enlisted men, "employes in the classified service." This amendment was deemed by Kahn to more fully protect civilian employes from losing their jobs than the amendment "civil service employes," originally planned to be introduced by him.

The acceptance of the amendment by the House today means that thousands of civilian Army employes will not be displaced in their positions by soldiers.

Representative Kahn was felicitated by many of his colleagues for his fight for the Army civilians.

RIGHT OF WAY SUIT WINS $89,000 DAMAGES

WILLOWS, Feb. 17.—C. H. Glenn, owner of the remnants of the great Glenn grant in the eastern part of this county, was awarded a judgment by a jury against the Colusa-Hamilton City Railway, being built by the Southern Pacific, for more than $89,000 for rights of way and damage to lands not taken. Of this amount $46,332.50 is for damage to the land not taken by the company, $41,000 for fences and gates that will have to be built and $1900 for the land that will be taken for the right of way.

The heavy damages awarded are based on the expected flooding that will be caused by the embankment of the railroad and the backing up of the flood waters between it and the levee along the Sacramento river. The railroad company has yet to try six more cases of a similar character in this county, and it is stated that the project may be either abandoned or an entirely new route may be selected. The case sets a precedent.

NEWSPAPER MAN AND SUPERVISORS IN FIGHT

QUINCY, Feb. 17.—As the result of a recent controversy between himself and the Plumas National Bulletin, Supervisor Jacks yesterday addressed some uncomplimentary remarks to H. F. Hall, a son of F. G. Hall, the proprietor of that paper, and when Hall retorted the men came to blows. County Clerk McBeth, who jumped in to separate the combatants, received a blow from the fist of one of them, which cut his lip. Otherwise no one was injured, although the furniture of the room was upset and scattered about. The trouble was stopped by the sheriff, but no arrests were made.

The bitterness was the outgrowth of the anti-saloon movement in the county and of the high school location row. Young Hall is associated with his father in the newspaper business.

CHINESE GIRL STUDENT IN ORATORICAL CONTEST

ALBION, Mich., Feb. 17. — Albion college will be represented in the state intercollegiate oratorical contest at Olivet on March 1, by Miss Sui Wang, a student in her junior year from China. Miss Sui is a thorough believer in the present revolutionary uprising in the Empire and her oration bears the title "China's Crisis." Miss Sui is considered a brilliant student.

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AGENTS GET RIGHT TO SETTLE CLAIMS

Southern Pacific Makes Innovation to Expedite Railroad Business.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—For the purpose of expediting business and getting closer to its customers through its local representatives, the Southern Pacific Company has issued orders to many of its agents at the principal stations along the route giving them authority to settle direct with consignees on ordinary loss and damage claims. At the present time the authority is extended only to certain agents in the more thickly settled territory. Claims for shortage and damage over which there is no dispute and which do not exceed a given amount can now be settled within a day or so after they have been filed with the agent.

Much correspondence is saved and the delay that formerly resulted while the claims were being gone over in the general offices of the company in San Francisco is now eliminated. This move is only one of a number recently inaugurated by the Southern Pacific Company.

SAN JOSE VETERANS INVOLVED IN FIGHT

SAN JOSE, Feb. 17.—Charged with assaulting S. T. Adams at the reception accorded Major H. V. Parker, department commander of the Grand Army of the Republic of California and Nevada, Colonel William Phillips, an officer high in the councils of Colonel A. G. Bennett Post of this city, was brought before Justice Wallace yesterday for arraignment. He pleaded not guilty and his trial was set for March 7 at 10 o'clock.

Phillips and Adams met at the depot, where a delegation of veterans had gathered to greet their department commander, and words were exchanged. According to Adams' story, Colonel Phillips struck him, and he would have retaliated but other veterans stepped between them.

Phillips, at the arraignment, told a different story. He said that when Adams followed and annoyed him he shoved him aside.

REVOLUTION IN TIMOR.

LISBON, February 17.—Three hundred troops and a Portuguese gunboat have been ordered to the Portuguese colony of Timor, in the Malay archipelago, to quell a revolution among the natives, who are reported to have captured the capital, Dulli, decapitated several Portuguese officers and men and retired into the interior with their plunder and prisoners.

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